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HUNS ARE BOMBARDING FISMES

Important Base Held By Americans Is Special Mark of the German Gunners.

U. S. PATROLS CROSS THE VESLE

Indications Point Strongly That General Foch Is Not Yet Through With Crown Prince Along That Stream.

By the Associated Press.

On the Rheims-Soissons front the situation has been stabilized for the moment, while the opposing forces prepare for further movements. Uneasiness along the northern front continues and Crown Prince Rupprecht, of Bavaria, has carried out another withdrawal. To the British he has now given up territory along the La Bassee canal in the apex of the Lys salient. Meanwhile the French and British are organizing the territory evacuated north and south of the Somma in Picardy.

Heavy artillery duels and patrol actions are in progress along the Vesle. French and American troops in small units have crossed to the north of the river at various points, mostly on reconnoitering expeditions. The enemy has failed in attempts to prevent these incursions. Fismes, in the center of the line and which is held by the Americans, apparently is the especial mark of the German gunners, and they are bombarding it violently. The Americans, however, maintain their positions and had even sent patrols across the river at this point.

In alled capitals it is not believed that the German crown prince will attempt to stand long on the northern bank of the Vesle, but will soon retire to prepared positions north of the Aisne. The Vesle line is capable of being outflanked without much effort, and it would seem the part of wisdom for the enemy to withdraw behind the Aisne.

General Foch has given no indication of his plans. The activity along the Vesle lends color to the opinion that he is not yet through with the crown prince and that the Germans between Soissons and Rheims will have to give more ground. Around the end of this sector of the battle front there has been little activity, although it is from the region of Rheims and Soissons that placing movements will have to be launched. It is not improbable that the allied leader is waiting until his troops and guns in strong force reach the southern bank of the Vesle before continuing operations against the crown prince. Except for occupying the ground given up by the Germans along the Ancre and west of the Avre the allies have made no move against the enemy on these sectors. That the retirement from west of the Ancre was not an interelated move is shown by the withdrawal along the Abre and from the La Bassee canal in Flanders. In the north the Germans withdrew from the canal in the region of Pacaut wood, northwest of Bethune. This position marked the Germans' furtherest point west in the Lys salient. Elsewhere on the western front there has been no action of importance.

Attempted Raid a Fiasco.

London, Aug. 6.—The attempted raid by German Zeppelins on the East England coast last night proved to be a complete fiasco, according to reports thus far received. British flyers, who are ever on the alert along the coast, were ready for the visitors and met them well out at sea, bringing down one in flames, damaging a second and driving a third away. What happened to the other two airships in the squadron is not disclosed in the official statement. The fact, however, the report said that "Zeppelins crossed the coast" is ground for the presumption that these did reach land.

Bolstering Up His Army.

With the French Army in France, Aug. 6 (By the Associated Press).—The German crown prince is now engaged in reconstituting his shattered divisions behind the lines with the aid of the remainder of the 1919 recruits, in the opinion of General Mangin, whose army played such a brilliant part in forcing the German retreat from the Marne. Some of the German divisions which took part in this battle had their company strength reduced to less than fifty men, some of the companies being still further depleted in members. In addition some of the best divisions of Crown Prince Rupprecht of Bavaria were used in the battle, having been loaned the crown prince from armies further north.

Great Enthusiasm Shown.

London, Aug. 6.—Official announcement was made today of the landing of allied forces, naval and military, at Archangel, August 2. The landing was in the spirit of the wishes of the Russian population and caused general enthusiasm.

Menace to Hun Armies.

Paris, Aug. 6.—Much importance is attached today to the operations reported to the north along the line between Barches and Marisel, north of Montdidier. They are pointed to as a direct menace to the junction point of the armies of General Von Hutier and Crown Prince Ruprecht.

Germans Were Repulsed.

Paris, Aug. 6.—North of the Vesle the Germans have been repulsed in their efforts to dislodge the French and American units which crossed the stream from the south bank. The French also advanced to the Avre river north of Montdidier, it is officially announced.

Still Bombarding Paris.

Paris, Aug. 6.—The German long range bombardment of Paris was continued today.

Enemy Hurls Gas Shells.

London, Aug. 6.—The German guns were active last night in the region north of Villers-Bretonneux on the front northeast of Amiens, the war office announced today. They threw gas shells into the British lines.

Allies Retain Initiative.

Paris, Aug. 6.—The determined attack, which the Germans have delivered against the allied advanced guards north of the Vesle has failed to disturb the temporary stabilization of the Vesle front. The allied command is retraining the initiative in these operations.

Admiral Is to Resign.

Paris, Aug. 6.—Southern German newspapers announced the resignation of Admiral Von Capelle minister of marine as imminent. The Deutches Tages Zeitung rejoices in the resignation of Field Marshal Von Holtzendorff, commander in chief of the Austrian armies, because he was an adversary of Admiral Von Tirpitz, leading exponent of submarine frightfulness.

Used Guns On Americans.

With the American Army On the Vesle, Aug. 6.—The Germans along the line opposite the Americans west of Fismes used their guns freely yesterday afternoon in apparent attempt to discourage the Americans and their French allies from further aggressive efforts. The Germans were handicapped in this effort by weather conditions. It was misty and at times raining and although German balloons were up, they must have been unable to report accurately.

Hostile Airships on Raid.

London, Aug. 6.—Hostile airships approached the east coast of England about 9:30 o'clock Monday night, the admiralty announced early this morning. The enemy aircraft did not penetrate far inland.

Soldier Married Here.

Samuel Amos Staley, one of the soldiers injured in the troop train wreck here a week ago Sunday was married here Tuesday afternoon to Miss Hazel Estell Hull, of Manchester, Okla., who came here to see Staley after learning of his injury. Staley is from Wichita.

Serenaded Mrs. Cotton.

The Lincoln Choral Society tendered Mrs. Sarah E. Cotton, of East Broadway, a very delightful serenade Monday evening.

BIG PARADE TUESDAY

UNION MEN AND MEMBERS OF LODGES INVITED TO BE IN LINE OF MARCH.

SEDALIA DAY AT THE STATE FAIR

Shields R. Smith Chosen as Chief Marshal of the Parade and Is Now Busy in Arranging Event.

Tuesday, August 13, is scheduled to be the biggest of all the really big days at the state fair this year. Besides being Commercial Club day and Trades Union day, it will be Missouri Council of Defense day and Sedalia day, and, in addition to all of the county councils of defense and all kindred war work bodies, all labor unions and all fraternal organizations are invited and urged to participate in the big parade that will take place over the main boulevard and into the infield of the fair grounds.

Shields R. Smith, manager of the Sedalia Home Telephone company (who is a director of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce) has been selected as chief marshal of this big parade and is now formulating his plans, which will be ready for announcement soon. He invites the hearty co-operation of the officers and members of all labor unions and all fraternal bodies willing to participate in the parade and, to facilitate the speedy completion of his plans and the definite assignment of positions, all such should communicate with him at once.

In harmony with the mayor's proclamation urging all business huses in the city to close on that day (at least from 9:30 a. m. for the remainder of the day) numerous committees appointed by the Chamber of Commerce to canvass their respective lines and secure pledges of co-operation have been at work and, so far as their canvass has been completed, are well pleased with the hearty willingness manifested to help make Sedalia's part of that celebration a big success that will reflect great credit on this city. Tags to the number of 5,000 bearing the legend, "Sedalia," have been ordered for use by all citizens of this city and county. Messrs. Thomas R. Melton and Charles L. Hanley compose the special committee in charge of this part of Sedalia's participation in that big day and they will appreciate the help and co-operation of all citizens in the big task assigned them.

SEDALIA BOY WOUNDED

Elmer Greer Treated Fine by Nurses of the Red Cross.

Miss Ruth Greer, of South Harrison avenue, is in receipt of a field service card from her cousin, Elmer Greer, who is with the machine gun company, fighting in France, telling her that he had been wounded and was now in a base hospital. He did not state the extent of his njuries.

Elmer is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Greer, formerly of Sedalia, but now residing in Kansas City. A letter also followed to Miss Ruth that said he was getting along nicely, and he praised very highly the great work done for the wounded soldiers by the Red Cross nurses.

OUR BOYS IN THE SERVICE

News Concerning Soldiers and Sailors From Pettis County.

William Janssen, master mechanic in the signal corps, who has been visiting relatives here and at Lamonte for the past week, departed at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon for San Antonio. Will stated his battalion would entrain for Little Silver, N. J., about August 20th.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton J. Fuel, of 314 North Quincy, are in receipt of a letter from their son, Corporal John F. Fuel, fourth regiment of motor mechanics, apprising them that their son has arrived safely overseas.

KILLED IN EXPLOSION

ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-THREE MISSING FROM BIG HOSPITAL SHIP.

WAS TORPEDOED BY A SUBMARINE

Warilda Was Bringing Wounded From France to England When Attacked by a Hostile U-Boat.

London, Aug. 6.—The vessel which was torpedoed on Saturday morning near a British port while bringing wounded men to England from France was the Warilda. The total number missing is 123. These are as follows: Two military officers, a commandant in Queen Mary's Auxiliary Corps, one American soldier, seven of the crew and and 112 others. The missing American is Corporal Brickman. The admiralty this evening issued the following communication concerning the torpedoing and sinking of the steamer Warilda:

"The homeward bound ambulance transport Warilda was torpedoed and sunk on the 3d of August."

After being torpedoed the ship remained afloat for two hours and a quarter. Immediately after the explosion five boats were launched but before they could be cleared they were smashed and many of their occupants were drowned.

Destroyers rushed to the spot where the submarine was seen and dropped depth charges.

More than 650 survivors have been landed at a British port.

Killed by Explosion.

A British Port, Aug. 6.—The ship torpedoed as she was nearing home from France was struck in the back part of the engine room. Three members of the staff were killed here and the dynamos were destroyed, plunging the vessel into darkness.

Just over the dynamo was the ward room, containing more than 100 patients. Most of these were killed outright by the explosion. The others injured by the explosion were trapped and perished, except for a few who jumped overboard and were picked up. About 100 wounded had been landed at a British port, coming ashore in what clothing they could reach when rudely awakened.

Two American officers and five privates were on board the vessel. Both the officers are officially reported as saved. They were Capt. J. T. Beatty and Lieut. H. T. Hubert. The fate of the privates is uncertain . The official report indicates that two of them were saved.

About 400 patients were on board the vessel. It is not known definitely what the loss of life was.

WRITES ABOUT BALL GAME

George W. Stevens Tells of Fourth of July Overseas.

George W. Stevens, son of Mrs. Pearl Stevens, of 612 West Cooper street, in a letter to his mother, written July 6 tells of the glorious time the American soldiers overseas had on July 4.

In his communication he states that it was a holiday and a big track meet was held, all kinds of athletic events filling up the day's program.

A ball game was played in which Sam Duvenick, a former Sedalia pitcher, was on the mound for the regimental team against an engineering contingent. The engineering team won by a score of 8 to 0.

Mr. Stevens states he never felt better in his life and says the soldier boys are being treated fine.

Another son of Mrs. Stevens, Charles D. Stevens, in a telegram to his mother, received Monday, says he has arrived at Camp Mills, L. I., from Camp Hancock. He is a member of an ordnance corps and expects to go overseas soon.

KILLED LARGE RATTLER

George Schneider Awakened by Snake Gving Alarm.

George Schneider, residing on R. F. D. No. 7, Sedalia, had a very thrilling encounter early this morning with a rattlesnake. Mr. Schneider was awakened from his slumbers by the sound of the rattles. Just ten feet from where he had slept through the night he saw the rattler coming toward him. He quickly arose and with the aid of a large club killed the rattler.

Examination of the snake disclosed five rattles and a button. It measured three feet.

Mr. Schneider has been sleeping in his yard because of the extreme hot weather, but in the future will likely seek his room. This is the second rattler killed by Mr. Schneider in the past few months on his farm. The other was a much larger snake, having eighteen rattles.

British Steamer Sunk.

A Canadian Atlantic Port, Aug. 6.—The British schooner Gladys J Holland has been sunk by a German submarine. The crew landed today at a Nova Scotian town. They said the attack took place yesterday morning.
PERS

Clark Had No Opposition.

Montgomery, Mo., Aug. 6.—Speaker Champ Clark, for the thirteenth time, was renominated for congress in the democratic primary in this district today without opposition.

TAKE PART IN PARADE

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ARRANGE TO BE IN EVENT AT FAIR NEXT TUESDAY.

NEW SECRETARY WAS ELECTED

Committees Names to Prepare for Columbus Day, October 12—Watermelon Feast Was Enjoyed.

A well attended meeting was held by Sedalia council No. 831, Knights of Columbus, Monday night.

After the regular business was disposed of committees were appointed for the celebration of Columbus day, October 12. A committee was also appointed to make arrangements for the members taking part in the grand council of defense parade at the state fair on Sedalia day.

E. J. Donnelly tendered his resignation as financial secretary on account of being unable to attend to the duties of the office as a result of his being out of the city so much in connection with his work as deputy revenue collector. Mr. A. J. Knipp was elected to this office and the members may now pay their dues and assessments at Mr. Knipp's office, 113 East Second street.

Following the meeting the members enjoyed a watermelon feast in the banquet hall. At this time . McVey addressed the members telling them of his "watermelon experiences" during the past forty years, which was greatly enjoyed by all present.

GO TO AUTOMOBILE SCHOOL

Fifty Men Are Called to Entrain August Fifteenth.

Fifty men have been called for entrainment to the Rahe automobile school in Kansas City, where they will be given training in motor mechanics. The men will report to the local board August 14 at 3 o'clock and will be entrained on the 15th. The names follow:

Arthur Welton Frakes.
Willie Bryan Harris.
Alvin Henry Meyer.
Walter A. Teter.
Harvey Henry Brimmer.
Joseph Mack Fredkin.
William Bert Robertson.
Thomas Edgar Gasperson.
John Scott Rippey.
Irvin R. Watson.
Edwin Virgin Danforth.
Paul Patrick O'Brien.
Ralph Edward Hollenbeck.
John Galloh Lueck.
Fred Allen Easter.
Floyd Cecil Lujin.
Earl William Hoberecht.
Herbert E. Barrett.
Edwin John Conrad Hammann.
Chester Preston Karrick.
Charles John Schwensen.
William Charles Butterwick.
Walter Clarence Carpenter.
Edward William Jaeger.
Ferd Chris Henry Simn.
Robert Smith Norton.
Vernon Schlusing Monsees.
Van Preston Ellis.
Myron Otho Stevens.
John Mike Westermier.
Joseph T. Curran.
Harry S. Carson.
Garland Francis Byrnes.
John McMullin.
George William Neely.
John Vincent McGinley.
Henry John Peterman.
George Benjamin Maune.
George H. Momberg.
Melvin Hursel Kruse.
Roy Rue Shelley.
Otto William Leicher.
William Earl Farley.
Harry Duke Skinner.
Michael William Collins.
Grady Everett Walden.
Vernon Joy Lovelace.
Roy Hand.
Orville R. Demand.
Lester Henry Karrick.
Columbus Rayl.
Levi Lary Keele.
Ernest A. Heck.
Alternates:
Jesse M. Reid.
Clarence Arthur Shaw.

Business Meeting Wednesday.

Wednesday morning a business meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of the First Congregational church will be held at 9 o'clock.

NOW HAS NEW "SHIP"

LIEUT. DAVIDSON OF AVIATION SQUADRON IN FRANCE, HAS NAMED IT "SEDALIA."

LETTER TELLS OF EXPERIENCES

Has Made Numerous Trips Over Boche Lines and Says at the Time of Writing He Was in Midst of Big Fray.

Writing to home folks from France, in a letter addressed to his mother, Mrs. R .L. Davidson, of 511 West Broadway, Lieut. Robert L. Davidson, Jr., of the Twelfth aero squadron, American expeditionary forces, under date of June 29, states it had been two weeks since he had received any mail and that he and other boys were impatient for a word from home.

"Letters," he says, "are about our only recreation and pleasure, as we are pretty well isolated at this place."

His letter in part follows:

We have no Y. M. C. A. or anything else customary to American camps, as we have been located here only temporarily.

We have our new ships now and have been working with them for about a week. They fly the fastest of any plane I have ever been in and maneuver like a bird. On a test yesterday one of them loaded with four guns and ammunition, a heavy camera and two passengers climbed to an altitude of 3,500 meters in 15 minutes, which is good for a heavy machine. I have fallen in love with my personal "bus" and think it the best on the aerodrome, although some of the other pilots are inclined to argue with me. My personal insignia is to be a jack rabbit and I have named the machine "Sedalia" because both have proven to be friends of mine, and are dear to me. Little things like names and insignia mean a great deal to us. Superstition is bound to enter into one's life when they have beer in this game as long as I have.

Another week like this last one and your son and brother, who went away young will return an old man. This week has been much harder on our squadron than all the rest of our time on the front . We were sent down to this quiet little rest sector where there is nothing going on except hell all the time, and where the Boche don't fly any except all night and most of the day, and where we have no protection except ourselves and nothing to do except a little of everything.

It is a quiet sector for the infantry, but for our daring aviators—! Our intelligence department

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HAD FOUR CASES OF BEER

Mace Jones, Negro Transfer Man Is In Jail.

Four cases of Budweiser beer are in the police station awaiting a decision as to who owns them The beer is the property of either Epstein & Bloch, Pehl & Byard or Albert Cassing.

The Budweiser was taken from the wagon of Mace Jones, negro late Monday afternoon, as he was driving east on Third street with it. Mace declared he bought the beer, but could give no satisfactory explanation of where he made the purchase. He was first seen driving out of the alley adjoining the Epstein & Bloch wholesale liquor house. The beer was in his wagon then.

Jones was arrested and placed in jail. Unless he clears up his connection with the theft, he will be prosecuted.

Alex Beaver, porter at the Pehl & Byard saloon, has been missing since Jones and the beer were taken in custody. Whether or not Beaver's absence is a result of the theft of the beer has not yet been established.

HAD COMMUNITY SING

Victory Chorus to Appear at Sacred Concert at Fair.

The rehearsal of the big Victory chorus, held at the First Baptist church Monday evening, was a great success. Between five and six hundred persons attended.

The final rehearsal of the chorus will be held Friday evening at 7:30 at the fair grounds in the grand stand. Every one who has been attending the rehearsals and expects to be in the sing next Sunday must be there, for this will be the last chance to practice and also the seats will be assigned then. Mrs. Steele hopes that Liberati's band will be here then to practice with the chorus, but in case the band does not arrive in time the practice will be held just the same.

The words of all the songs to be sung next Sunday will be printed on the programs and everyone attending the sing is expected to join in with the chorus. ?

Mrs. Keithley Injured.

Mrs. E. M. Keithley, residing at 1416 South Warren street, sustained painful injuries last night when she fell down a flight of stairs leading to the cellar of her home. Dr. A. E. Monroe was summoned and administered medical aid. Her injuries consisted of a sprained wrist and several bruises about the body.

Marriage Licenses.

Henry B. Marshall, Windsor; Ida Belle Craig, Green Ridge.

Samuel Amos Staley, Wichita, Kas.; Hazel Estill Hull, Manchester, Ok.

WAR HUT AT THE FAIR

RED TRIANGLE WAR WORK EXHIBIT IN THE GOVERNMENT BUILDING.

DEMONSTRATE WORK OF Y. M. C. A.

"Hut" Will Be in Building That Was Set Aside to House Exhibit Brought Here by War Department.

James L. McQuie, state publicity director for the war work council of the Young Men's Christian Association of Missouri, is in Sedalia today conferring with Secretary W. T. Lawhead regarding the Red Triangle war work exhibit at the state fair. A war hut will be erected, equipped and maintained in the government building for the purpose of disseminating knowledge and information to those attending the state fair regarding the very essential and important war work being done by the Y. M. C. A.

At a recent meeting of the national war work council held in New York it was decided that a fund of at least $112,000,000 must be secured this fall to carry forward and expand the Red Triangle war work during the ensuing year. Missouri's quota of this fund will be in round numbers three and one-half million dollars, which should be easily raised, in view of the fact that it will practically mean only one dollar from every citizen of this great state.

Mr. McQuie stated today that a thorough and educative publicity campaign is being planned in order that the people may be well informed regarding the Y. M. C. A. war work on behalf of the American army and navy, the allied armies and also the prisoners of war. When thoroughly aroused to the needs of the situation, the good people of Missouri can always be counted on to do their part and more.

SENDS COPY OF PLANE NEWS

Sedalian With 641st Aero Squadron Now in France.

Charles A. Bunyan, of the 641st aero squadron, on active service in France, in a letter to the Democrat, encloses a copy of the official paper of the aviation forces overseas. It is the "Plane News." The paper contains numerous interesting articles about the aviation forces, together with an abundance of cheering jokes to drive away the blues.

Mr. Bunyan in his letter extends regards to all his Sedalia friends and says he will send the next regular issue of the "Stars and Stripes," which is devoted to the army men.

He says he has met but two Sedalia boys since he has been overseas.

ACCEPTS FINE POSITION

Miss Helen Harris Traveling Library Manager.

Miss Helen Harris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Harris, of this city, whose father is cashier of the Citizens' National bank, has been tendered a most excellent position by the State Library Commission. Her appointment is that of traveling library manager, for which place she is fully qualified, having taken up library work and thoroughly mastered it. Miss Harris will enter on her new duties in the near future.

PRIMARY VOTE IS LIGHT

Less Than 500 Votes Polled up to 3 O'clock Tuesday.

A very light vote was cast in the primaries in Sedalia Tuesday. At 3 o'clock less than 500 votes had been cast in all four wards.

Just what percentage of the shop men will vote remains to be seen. That vote will not be cast until after 5 or 6 o'clock.

There seems to be little interest in the primary in Pettis county. The only offices on which there are contests for the nomination are those of United States senaor, congressman, state superintendent of schools and state representative.

GET WORK OR FIGHT!

ORDINANCES OF IMPORTANCE WERE PASSED BY CITY COUNCIL MONDAY.

SPEAKING OF GERMAN PROHIBITED

Legislation Passed Makes Speaking of German Language On Streets or In Public Places Unlawful.

Two important pieces of municipal legislation were passed by the city council Monday night.

The "Work or Fight" ordinance, as outlined by the Chamber of Commerce and drafted by City Counsellor R. S. Robertson, and an ordinance prohibiting the speaking of the German language on any of the streets or highways or in any public place within the corporate limits of the city of Sedalia, were both passed without a dissenting vote.

Both ordinances were signed by Mayor Baumgartner Tuesday morning and are now in full force and effect.

The "Work or Fight" ordinance was presented by a committee from the Chamber of Commerce composed of Judge F. F. Hatton, H. C. Feuers and Attorney J. D Donnohue.

The anti-German ordinance was presented by Attorney W. W Blain, who made a strong speech supporting it. With the ordinance was presented a petition carrying more than a thousand names of Sedalians.

The work or fight ordinance is very clear in its provisions and provides for the appointment by the mayor of a municipal war board, whose duty it shall be to secure, where possible, employment for persons coming within the provisions of the ordinance and who are unable to secure employment through their own efforts. An important provision in the ordinance is that men within the prescribed age limits and physically able are not exempt merely because they may possess sufficient income for the support of themselves and their dependents. The text of the two ordinances follow:

Ordinance No. 1955.

An ordinance making it unlawful for any able-bodied resident of this city, between the ages of 18 and 50 years, not to be regularly employed, in some lawful and useful recognized business profession or employment and providing procedure for carrying this ordinance

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MISSOURI BOYS ARE LISTED

Total of 358 Casualties In Army Report; 40 In Marines.

Washington, Aug. 6.—The army casualty list today shows: Killed in action, 31; died of wounds, 6; wounded severely, 313; wounded, degree not determined, 7; prisoners, 1. Total 358.

The list includes: Severely wounded, Lieutenant A. B. Thall, St. Louis; Privates Michael Corridon, Kansas City; Earl Gilliatti, St. Louis; Calvin Jones, St. Joseph; James Grifford, Minnith; James A. Howse, Webster Groves; Richard W. Knopp, St. Louis; Carl E. Roloff, Webster Groves.

The Marine Corps List.

Washington, Aug. 6.—The marine corps casualty list today shows: Killed in action, 7; died of wounds, 3; wounded severely, 18; wounded degree undetermined, 11; wounded slightly, 1. Total, 40

The list includes: Killed in action, Sergeant Raymond M. Mabry, Poplar Bluff; wounded severely, Private Charles Crollay, St. James; William E. Phelps, Marquard; wounded, degree undetermined, Lieutenant Arnold Godbey, St. Louis; Privates Porter Browning, Monett; Harold Bryson, St. Louis; Joseph Ellis, Cameron; Captain Robert W. Voeth, Pttsburg, Kas.; Private John Bore, St. Louis; Roy F. Byington, St. Louis; Chalmers Clark, Oberlin; Harry M. Itschner, Bevier; Zeno C. Mosier, Bonne Terre; Guy Selton, St. Louis; Ivan Wright, Lamar

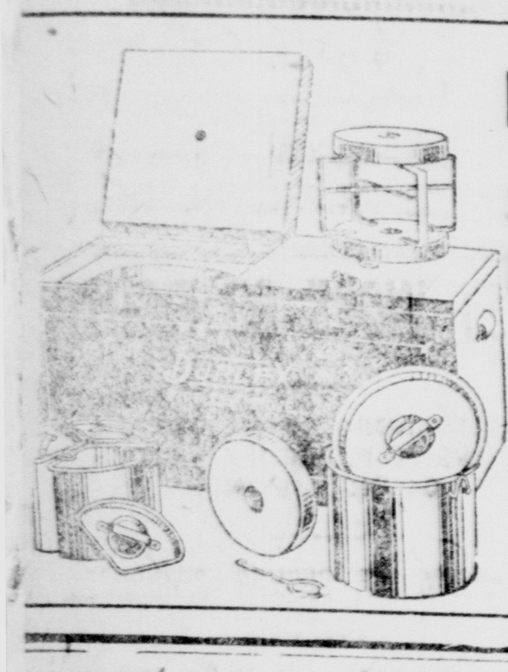
LESLIE WACKHER BETTER

Improving Steadily Following An Operation at St. Mary's.

Leslie Wackher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wackher, of 219 South Vermont avenue, who has been a patient in St. Mary's hospital for the past few days, is reported as improving nicely.

Mr. Wackher recently underwent an operation for hernia prior to leaving for service in the army He has been accepted for training in the officers' training camp at Camp Zachary Taylor, Ky., and will leave for that place September 15th.

Mr. Wackher has been a student at the Missouri University for the past two years, where he has made quite a reputation in basketball and baseball. He is a graduate of the Sedalia High school.



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Come to the fried chicken supper to be given at 7 o'clock at the Hopewell church Wednesday evening, Auguts 7. Fried chicken and ice cream supper to help the Red Cross.

Cure for Dysentery.

"While I was in Ashland, Kansas, a gentleman overheard me speaking of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes William Whitelaw, of Des Moines, Iowa. "He told me in detail of what it had done for his family, but more especially his daughter, who was lying at the point of death with a violent attack of dysentery, and had been given up by the family physician. Some of his neighbors advised him to give Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy, which he did, and fully believes that by doing so saved the life of his child. He stated that he had also used this remedy himself with equally gratifying results."

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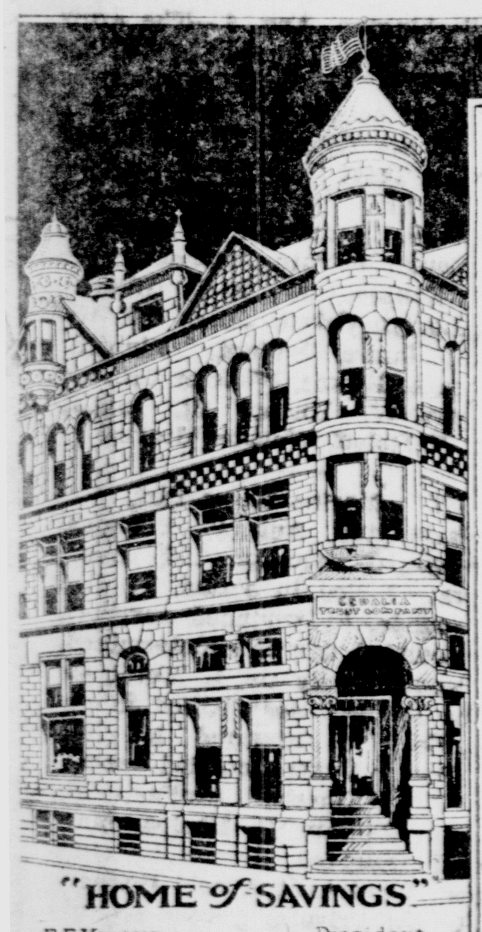

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HAMMETT MAY, IN LETTER TO PARENTS, MENTIONS SEVERE FIGHTING.

SAW PITIABLE PLIGHT OF FRENCH

Aged Peasants Fled With Scanty Personal Belongings When Germans Were Advancing—Homes In Ruins.

Charles Hammett May, with the Seventy-sixth company, Sixth Marines, has been in battle a second time and relates some of the happenings in a letter to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. May, 420 South Grand avenue. The letter follows:

Dear Mother and Dad:

This is the first chance I've had to write in over three weeks. We were called back to the front unexpectedly. I have received eight letters from you since June 15th so I must have gotten them all. They were dated May 16, 20, 24, 28, June 1, 5, 10, 15. I was certainly glad to get them. Most of them came while I was at the front and could not answer. I have also received letters from Aunt Rose, Aunt Ida, Aunt Frances, Aunt Maude and Margaret O'Bannon. I was mighty glad to hear from them and will answer if I possibly can. However that's a pretty big job trying to answer them all.

I haven't heard from "Chick" or Wallace for some time and wish they would write. I know the sailor enjoyed his furlough. He is very lucky. I'm certainly glad he isn't here with me. I've found war to be a rather serious business. Dad certainly lost out on some good chances to collect my insurance money last month. I had lots of chances to get hit, but came through without a scratch. We are now back of the lines and I think we'll get a good rest before returning. At least I hope so. I picked up a few souvenirs during our attack and will send them home if I get the chance. We chased the Boche out in such a hurry they didn't have time to take a thing with them. There was more equipment laying around in the woods than you could shake a stick at. The trees were so cut to pieces both by our own and the Hun artillery, that one could scarcely walk through them. A good sized shell will tear a tree in two as if it were paper. The woods certainly looked like the battlefield that it was. I've often wished to see some real action, and believe me, I sure did. The marines did some mighty fine work on the front. I suppose the papers told about most of it, and I'll tell you the rest when I get home.

I was surprised to hear that Rev. Davidson was coming to France. I certainly hope I get to see him but the chances are mighty slim. It's very seldom we are near a Y. M. C. A., even though there are thousands in France. Whatever possessed him to come, and who is the new pastor? I suppose Mrs. Davidson and the family are still in Sedalia. I don't suppose I'd recognize the old town if I should come back now. It seems like I've been away for years. It was just a year ago July 4th that I enlisted in the marines. I spent the Fourth on the firing line, so I probably heard more big noises and saw more fireworks than any of you. It was all free, too. Didn't cost a cent. I remember how I used to rob my tin bank to buy firecrackers and then get up early and shoot them before breakfast. At that time I little dreamed the time would ever come when I'd have fireworks morning, noon and night until I was tired of them. Such is life. Chick lives on a $7,000,000 ship, and I sleep in an old barn, or a hole dug in the woods, sometimes by the roadside—rain or shine, hot or cold, the war must be carried on. Sometimes we eat and again we don't. Sometimes we sleep, sometimes we don't. We must be ready to do anything and go anywhere at any time. Our troubles are great and our pleasures are small. But you'd be surprised to know how little grumbling these is in spite of the hardships. The men all seem to realize that its up to them to stick to it, and believe me they sure are there with the goods. They know the Huns have to be whipped, and they know we can do it. We all feel rather optimistic about the war now and hope for an early end. However, it is well to prepare for a long one. When we first came to this front the French peasants were just moving out before the advancing Germans. I've seen many horrible things in the past six weeks, but none quite so pitiable as that of old men and women trudging along beside the ox-carts which were loaded with all the belongings they could possibly carry away. Little children and babies riding on top the carts or carried in arms. Can you imagine that? I saw several women as old as grandmother, holding to the back of the cart and struggling doggedly along. At times they became exhausted and would lie down beside the road until able to continue. Their homes, in which they lived happily fifty days ago, are now great piles of broken stone, hammered to pieces by the German artillery. The church is shot to pieces, and the cemetery adjoining ploughed up by high explosive shells.

The French have suffered much. They are a very gallant people. The Huns have much to answer for.

I must close now. I'll write again as soon as possible. Much love to all, from your son.

HAMMETT.

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Drill for the men subject to the draft will be held tonight at 7:30 o'clock at Liberty park. All men who are in the draft or any one who would like to receive the training in drilling are invited to come out and drill with the men. There are about forty men attending the drills now.

A SEDALIA INTERVIEW

Mr. Hill Tells His Experience.

The following brief account of an interview with a Sedalia man five years ago, and its sequel, will be read with keen interest by every citizen.

R. P. Hill, farmer, 1120 West Henry street, Sedalia, says: "I had backache and pains through my sides. My muscles and joints were also affected in a similar way. I got Doan's Kidney Pills at the Bard Drug Co., and had wonderful relief."

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TRIP THROUGH CENTRAL MISSOURI

Lunch for Delegation Numbering About 150 Will Be Taken at Lamonte On Thursday, September 5.

The pathfinder car of the Goodfellowship tours of the young men's division, Chamber of Commerce, Kansas City, is here. It is laying out the route to be followed September 5, 6 and 7th, when about thirty-five cars with 150 passengers—members of that organization and their wives—will make a trip through Central Missouri. Trade extension is not the purpose of these trips. They are made to build up a sort of business partnership that will promote the interests of the entire southwest. The day of destructive competition is past and goodfellowship is the entering wedge in bringing about this result. The great international convention of Rotary clubs recently held in Kansas City is an example of the value of business men from all over the country getting together in a spirit of goodfellowship to discuss the problems of the commercial world today. The Inter-Community League formed after similar trips last year is endeavoring to link together the chambers of commerce of the cities of the southwest, so that the commercial bodies will have a method of closer co-operation and exchange of ideas. The problems of one city are largely the problems of another, and a method of co-operation to meet these problems is of vital importance at all times, and doubly so during the war, when everybody must work unselfishly with his neighbor to the end that the war will end in a complete victory the sooner.

The young men's division started the Inter-Community League for the above purpose and is using these motor trips as the means of starting the goodfellowship necessary to insure perfect co-operation.

This tour will leave Kansas City Thursday morning, September 5th, stopping for lunch at Lamonte, thence coming to Sedalia. They will spend Thursday night and Friday morning at Jefferson City, then going to Columbia for Friday afternoon and night, returning to Kansas City Saturday. At each of these stops a joint dinner and program will be held under the auspices of the commercial clubs and prominent speakers who are identified with this movement will explain how this league will handle the problems of good roads, grain, live stock, the dairy industry, merchandising and transportation. The first and last named above are closely affiliated in a new return load bureau now being organized by Mr. Quivey, the new secretary of the Department of Agriculture of the Chamber of Commerce.

Four of these trips were made last year and two already this year into Missouri and Kansas. Wherever the distance between the morning and noon and noon and night controls and the conditions of the roads give time, stops are made at towns and speakers explain the purpose of the trips. This trip will cover 350 miles and it is hoped that many stops can be made along the way.

In the pathfinder car are Harry S. Frazer, general manager of the trips; W. Edwin Smith, pathfinder; Harry F. Navran, treasurer, and Virgil Harkrader, of the program committee.

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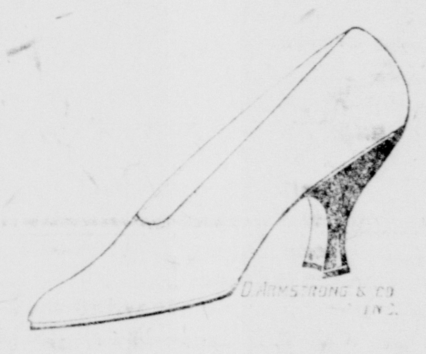

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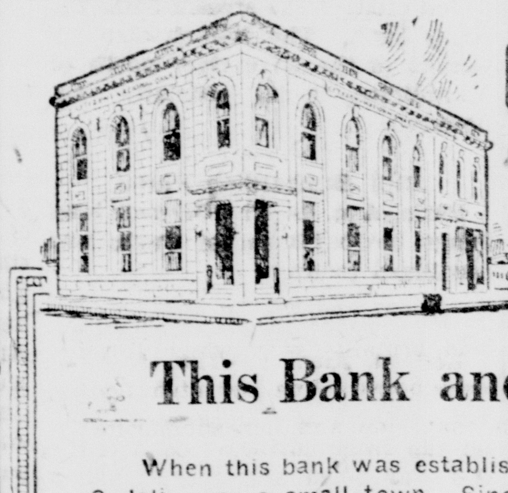

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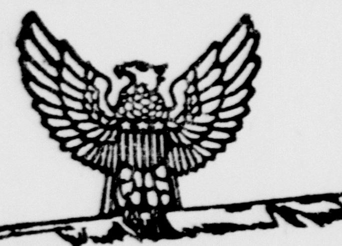

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MAKING WAR FOR GAIN.

War for profit is not only sound German doctrine, but it is also German practice. It is not necessary to go back any further than the last two wars in which Prussia was engaged to show how very profitable warfare has been to Germany.

In 1866 Prussia had war with Austria. The war lasted forty days and Prussia had from five to six thousand soldiers killed in action. As a consequence of the war Prussia gained much territory, and established her control over the states of greater Germany. In 1870 she had war with France. Her total casualties in that war were approximately a hundred thousand, just about the same as the British casualties in Gallipoli. From the war she gained, besides a great increase of strength at home, the rich provinces of Alsace and Lorraine, with all their mineral wealth, and an indemnity of two hundred million pounds, that is to say, four times the actual cost of the war in money.

The present war is in direct line with these other wars and was deliberately planned as a moneyed venture. It was the most gigantic financial scheme ever devised and the most far-reaching in its effects upon the world, for it contemplated conquering the world first, by arbitrary brute force, and after that to dominate commercially. Every detail of this gigantic enveloping scheme had been worked out prior to 1914. Ralph W. Page, in the "World's Work," gives a digest of a most remarkable book that has been placed in the hands of the high and mighty in the German empire. It is said that a copy of this rare work is in the hands of the United States government and will in due time be given to the public . The audacity and brutality with which Germany's plans were laid are almost beyond belief. She expected her military forces on land to conquer on that side and her submarine would keep her free from interference by any of the world powers who would have to use the high seas in attacking her. And these are the brutal robbers with whom the pacifists want us to negotiate when peace terms are proposed.

Until the "Yanks" began to show up "over there" in ever increasing numbers the kaiser was still crazy enough to believe that he could overcome the world. But he knows better now and it may be that in a short time he will begin to put out peace propaganda, but the allies would indeed be false to their own interests and to the great cause for which they are battling if they consider any other cure for this nation of human butchers except absolute dismemberment of the German government.

FINE CO-OPERATION.

Even before wheat is fully gathered, Mr. Hoover cables to hotel managers, with thanks for their patriotism, that they need hold no longer their "no wheat pledge." The hotel keepers and restaurants of the country have shown a fine spirit in co-operating with the food administration. While wheat was still being consumed in homes it was not being served on the tables in hotels or eating houses. Every one who took a meal in such place was taught a lesson in patriotism. The worst of the food crisis is now past. The department of agriculture asks American farmers to increase winter wheat seeding to 45,000,000 acres. These areas should produce 650,000,000 bushels in 1919 and spring wheat should make up a billion.

The passing of the food crisis leads the New York World to say:

"It is just twenty years since Sir William Crookes startled the world by fears of starvation for lack of grains unless nitrogen could be extracted from the air. The United States, in the Crookes estimate, would soon bid for import wheat. Well, this country has saved Europe in a world war by exporting 850,000,000 bushels in four years, in spite of the 1917 crop failure; it is planning greater yields—and building the greatest air-nitrogen plant ever devised.

"All the wheat American farmers can raise will be needed, and more. We have no reserve. If peace should come suddenly the world would be no less hungry; even Russia faces starvation on a stupendous scale as one of the blessings of bolshevik rule. Nearly all the states are asked to sow more winter wheat, and they will.

"Mr. Hoover in England will have been told before this that what the American farmer by his energy, and the American housewife by her intelligent co-operation in seeking wheat substitutes, have done to save the war seems less than a miracle. The country is ready to do still more."

There were many who did not believe the United States would lend itself to such regulation as has been accomplished. Mr. Hoover has indicated an ability and has held to his conscientious purpose in a manner which has saved the allied world from a serious food crisis.

The future is not so dark, though of course, with the growing number of able-bodied men diverted into war work, we shall have to pay in shortages of one kind or another.

Women's Clubs and Social Events

Came to Sedalia to Wed.

Mr. Henry B. Marshall, of Windsor, was married to Miss Ide Belle Craig, of Green Ridge, in the parlors of the Methodist parsonage, 315 West Fourth street, Sedalia, on Monday evening, August 5. Dr. W. T. McClure was the officiating clergyman.

Entertained Soldiers.

Misses Florence, Elizabeth, Louise and Dorothy Cave were at home Monday evening to a number of the soldiers from the Katy hospital. Miss Zana Thomas was the young lady guest. The soldiers present were: Privates Redd, Hutchins, Myers, Cooper and Fitzgerald.

Music supplied the chief enjoyment. Refreshments of ice cream and wafers were served.

Outing and Splash Party.

An outing and splash party was given last evening at Liberty park in honor of Mrs. W. F. Bailey and Mrs. Albert B. Cone, both of whom are to depart from this city soon to reside elsewhere, Mrs. W. F. Bailey leaving for Indianapolis, Ind., and Mrs. Albert Cone for Washington, D. C.

At 6 o'clock an elaborate supper was spread, which was thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Later in the evening the party went to the swimming pool, where they enjoyed a splash party.

Those participating in the affair were: Mrs. W. F. Bailey, Mrs. A. B. Cone, Mrs. Ralph Fraser, Mrs. Alvin Davis, Mrs. Ottie Robertson, Misses Ollie Davis, Pearl Hall, Cora Hall, Hulda Schweder, Lola Sutherland, Florence Sutherland, Hattie Russell, Marie Wilson, Ernestine Wilson, Jessie Wilson, Livonia Ingram, Ruby King, Anna King, Veda Hudson, Laura Eirls, Ruth Voelkel, Nellie White, Hazel Rush, Helm Fischer and little Mildred Pauline Wickliffe, a cousin of Mrs. Bailey and sister, Miss Davis, who has been visiting in Sedalia the past week.

All departed at a late hour, expressing regret at the loss of the two honored guests from their midst, but wishing them the greatest of success in their new homes.

THIRD HOUSE.

A Damnable Injustice.

The above heading refers to the different sections of Sedalia—east, west, north and south. Now, dear reader, which section of the city do you have the honor to grace or adorn? Suppose for example you reside in West Sedalia, and some dark and stormy night a genuine saloon brawl is pulled off on West Main street, or an amateur shooting scrape takes place along the Missouri Pacific railroad, and a number of arrests are made, and next day you see in the papers an account of the disgraceful affair which took place on the "west side."

Now how would you feel about it? The reporter instead of giving street and number just refers to the west side . Would this not be a gross injustice to the west side? Then the gossipers get hold of it, and all you hear is west side, west side. Where on west side? Don't know; just west side.

Now in order to get down to brass tacks, or the foundation of the trouble. This is just what the north side has been up against for time immemorial, and there being just as good people residing in North Sedalia as in any other part of the city, we wish to correct this error, and to call a halt to any further insinuations.

For time immemorial it has been the custom of denizens of the underworld to locate along the railroad, and the Missouri Pacific being the first road built through here they naturally located along that line. But when the authorities made a crusade against them on West Main street, they shoved them over on Pacific, Jefferson and St. Louis streets, but that doesn't mean the whole north side by a —— sight. This erroneous advertising has become so prevalent that occasionally you will see a few miserably ignorant specimens of the male generation on or north of Pettis street. But this nuisance can easily be abated by a little foresight connected with moral courage, preferably the Kentucky brand. Because of this idea residents of Sedalia are walking from one to two miles to their work, rather than live in from three to five minutes walk of the shop train or the heart of the city.

A lot of good men with an abundance of good common sense are taking advantage of low rents and cheap homes on the north side. When it comes to facts it makes no difference where you live; it's who you are and what you are. A change of address doesn't add to or detract from your popularity one iota.—Sedalian.

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Urgent Call for Nurses!

The call of the nation for 25,000 nurses is urgent. Every woman between the ages of 19 and 35 years, who feels she must serve her country and is free to do so is under obligation to investigate the training to be given.

College women are preferred but a girl with equivalent to a two years high school course will be considered.

For a period of ten days members of the Woman's Council of Defense will be in charge of three places where registration will be conducted and where the plan will be fully explained.

Miss Lura McCluney will be at the Red Cross central workroom at the court house every morning for the period mentioned.

Mrs. E. A. Wood, at the head of the womans committee of the Council of National Defense for Sedalia will be at the Council of Defense headquarters, 509 South Ohio avenue.

Miss Nettie Lamm will be at the public library all day each day during the registration period.

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Every classified ad is a message for some one.

The sender of the message has business to transact with the person for whom the message is written—but does not know the person, nor the address, as yet.

The message may be for somebody else—it may be for you. But you will not know unless you investigate.

If it SHOULD BE FOR YOU don't you want to get it?

Perhaps it may be a message from a person who ought to be working for you; or from a person for whom you ought to be working. It may be a message from someone who is offering to sell the property which would be more suited to your needs and means than any other in the city. It may be from a landlord who is offering you the sort of house or apartment for which you have long searched.

You will be able to "identify yourself" when you read the message.

Can You AFFORD to Neglect to LOOK for It?

Bevo
REG. U.S. PAT. OFF.
THE BEVERAGE

The All-'Round Man's Drink

We all want a drink that is not insipid. The soldier, athlete or the hard-working student must have the drink that tastes good and keeps him toned up.

Bevo is just that. It is sparkling and refreshing—healthful as choice cereals and finest hops can make it—a soft drink that is pure in itself and kept pure by air-tight sealing and thorough pasteurization.

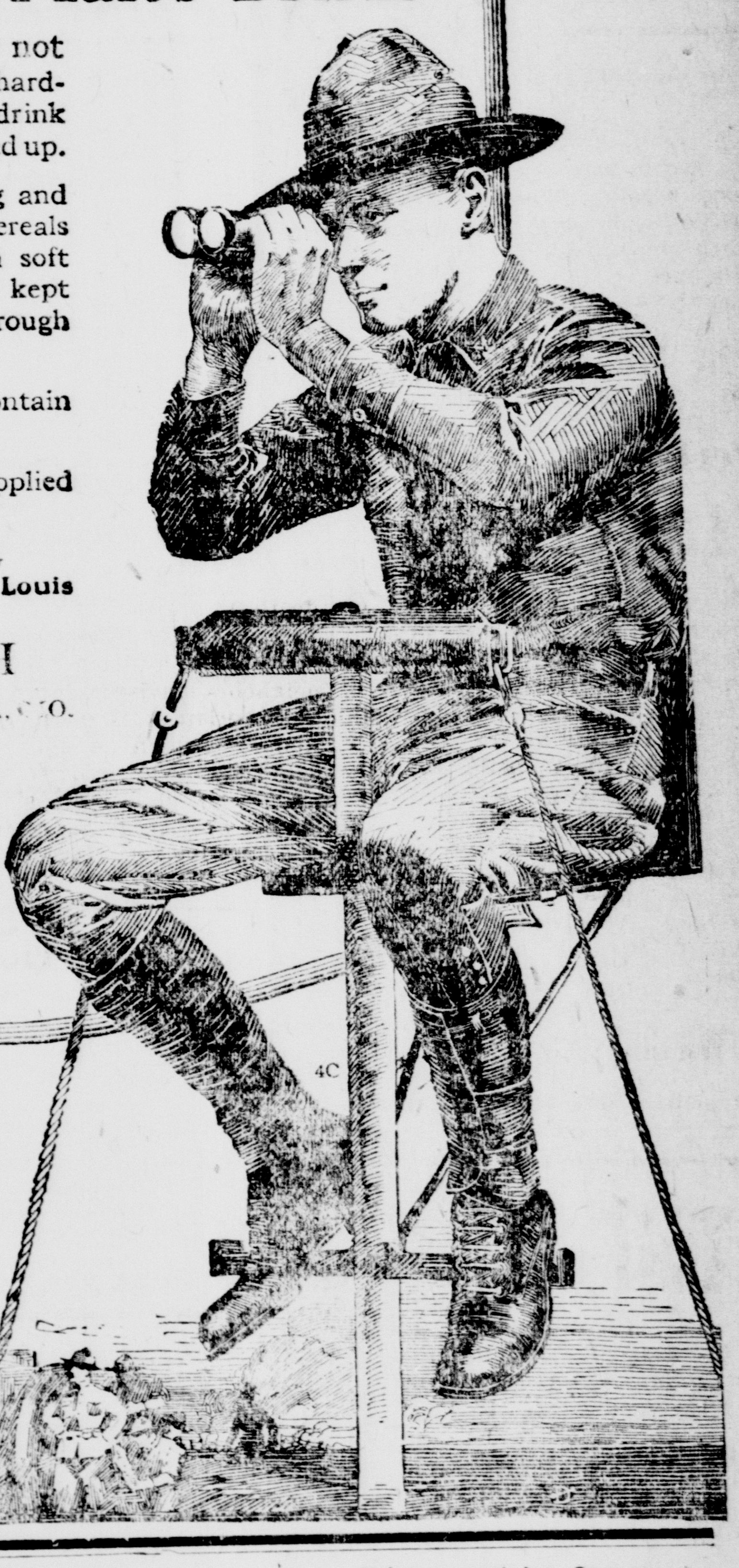
Milk and water may or may not contain bacteria; Bevo cannot.

Served everywhere—families supplied by grocers, druggists or dealers.

Manufactured and bottled exclusively by
Anheuser-Busch St. Louis

EPSTEIN & BLOCH
Distributors SEDALIA, MO.

Always Drink Bevo Cold



Just the Role.

From the Boston Transcript.

'So in the new play you have the part of a decayed gentleman. That's just the role for you, my boy."

"Why do you think so?"

"Because you're a rotten actor."

Look Out.

Why do they want to test your battery. Because that's the only way they can sell you. Some other brand of battery. Better stick to Willards. 712 Ohio street

Chicken and Ice Cream.

The Hopewell Red Cross unit will serve fried chicken and ice cream on the lawn of the church eight miles north of Sedalia, on the Longwood road Wednesday night. Friends in Sedalia are cordially invited to attend.

Right Now Is a Good Time---

To pick out those things around the house you do not need and sell them.

Somebody else will want the very thing you do not want and they will pay you good money for it.

Order a For Sale Ad in the Democrat --the Quickest Way to a Buyer

NOW HAS NEW "SHIP"

(Continued From Page One.)

has informed us that since our arrival the Boche has moved up enough anti-aircraft to protect all of England. They have also moved some squadrons down here to welcome us. However, for several days we have made more flights over their lines with our one squadron than they have with several.

To continue my narrative of the week. Our squadron had its first real aerial combat on Sunday. Two of our machines were taken by surprise and riddled with bullets, but managed to get out of the difficulty and chase the Boche home. We saw the whole combat from the aerodrome. This was episode No. 1. The next day the excitement increased. At 5 a. m. one of our planes returned and called the ambulance. The observer had stopped a piece of high explosive. At 8:30 a. m. another plane landed and called the ambulance—another observer wounded. At 2:30 a pilot and observer were incapacitated. The next day an accident. The next day two machines crashed and four were damaged so they had to be laid up for repairs.

In all of this hard luck only one serious affair resulted, although a number have been laid up for several weeks.

I have had three trips over the lines in my new ship. Each has been more thrilling than the last. The last trip I took was yesterday at 4 a. m. Two machines went out on reconnoissance back into Germany. We flew parallel to the lines and each time we turned edged further in. Finally we got within a quarter of a mile of a Boche observation balloon and hell broke loose.

Archies started firing from everywhere. The first I knew of the archies their shells were bursting under my tail. We were fifteen miles behind the lines and flying through a barrage that seemed humanly impossible to escape.

In five minutes time one of our observation balloonists estimated that over 1,000 shells bursted around us. The Boche had let us come into their territory without firing a shot, but they didn't intend to let us out. Then the machine guns started and I could see the tracer bullets going through the wings of the plane in front of me, which I was protecting from a rear attack. Also incendiary shrapnel was filling the early morning air with flying fire. Everywhere I looked I could see the "bundles" of black smoke where the bursts had just occurred. I didn't mind the explosions as much as I did the noise they made. They made so much noise I couldn't think. In one-sixteenth of a second after all this started we found that we had completed our mission and "turned tail for home." I opened up my throttle full on, which is never done except in an emergency, and as I have said before my ship is no slow one. I pointed the nose down and wobbled her from one side to another. Sometimes I was going in three directions at once—down, forward and sideways. I did this to fool him. When I got home I found my machine had stood the terrific strain I placed on her without a murmur. My machine was not hit, but the other one had many holes in it. C'est la guerre.

Day before yesterday I went up to a battery with several other officers to watch them work in co-operation with two of our aeroplanes. We had a pleasant trip. The Boches happened to be shelling the road we were traveling on. The battery was so well camouflaged that after I had reached it I had to ask where it was. I had been to visit a battery before, but had never seen one in action. We requested permission to go inside the pits and watch the guns fire. Four went off simultaneously and I jumped quite some distance. Each time the guns fired I jumped again. You should have seen the artillerymen laugh. An aviator has the reputation of being the most easily scared when on the ground of anyone in the army. I know that I would never be any good around the big guns. They make too much noise for me.

The last three nights we have done little sleeping. Every two hours or so the "alerte" has been given and the Gothas pass overhead. They had been sending machines over to look at our aerodrome early in the mornings. One morning I was getting up for early reconnoissance and I heard one directly overhead. I paid no attention, not even going outside to look at it. In about thirty seconds I heard six tremendous explosions and instantly shouted, "All out. The dirty devils are bombing us." You should have seen that barracks clear out. There was a ditch close by that we piled into to prevent flying fragments from hitting us. Everyone was in their night clothes and barefooted. Soon afterwards we discovered our major in a state of undress with his boots in one hand and his coat in the other, lying flat in the trench. Someone said, "There's our major." "Yes," he responded, "here's your major. Who was that shavetail that got me out of bed? If I find out I shall confine him to camp for a month."

Later in the day our intelligence department informed us there would be considerable bombing activity during the night. Four times in the night we heard the noise of the Gothas overhead and heard the bursting of bombs nearby. Every field in the vicinity but ours was visited. One of the allied fields, which had thirty hangars, had about half of them riddled by bombs. They had received warning that the Boche would be there in thirty minutes and had cranked up their machines and made it away in the dark, landing on an American field. One undercarriage was damaged but slightly in this.

When the Gothas had finished the allied squadron followed the Boches home, located their aerodrome by the landing lights and dropped bombs on them, destroying both hangars and machines. That's what I call nerve and bravery.

The next day the same allied squadron figured that the Boche would come over to take pictures to see what damage they had done. They placed all their machines out in front of the good hangars. As expected the Boche did come over. That night they moved all their machines into the damaged hangars at the opposite end of the field. The Boche came over again and dropped 200 bombs and completely destroyed the empty hangars, but none of the aeroplanes.

One of the American divisions on the front has some Alabama troops, which have done some exceptionally fine work. They are what we call "hard boiled," because they fight like they love it. The Huns placed a large sign in No Man's Land one night which read, "Gott Mit Us." Promptly the Alabamans put out one: "You've got nothing on us; we've got mittens, too."

After I started this letter we got orders to be out of this place before dark. We have arrived at our new place and I have tried to finish this letter in odd moments. We took a 250-mile jump and are now located in the midst of things. We are considered an experienced and veteran squadron and are being given important work to do. We have been on the front just two months.

Yesterday I was near a town of some size and I saw quite a sight. For ten hours a stream of trucks passed carrying soldiers from the trenches who had just been relieved. I had never seen so many auto trucks before, nor so many men passing in one line. There were troops, troops, troops and more troops.

The Amricans are doing themselves proud at present. Our shock troops are taking every objective. The Boche says we are too eager. We make war too hard. They think we will quiet down after we have been in it for a while.

Our aeroplanes are working on this sector for the first time and the French are interested and delighted with our work. We fly in large formations and last evening we had a formation with thirty planes in it. The sky was literally crowded.

Our losses in aerial work have been very slight compared to the other allies, and considering the amount of work accomplished.

I am wondering what the other Sedalia boys are doing. Give me any information about them you can. I should like to meet some of them, but guess it is impossible. I am over 200 miles from Lieutenant Harris and probably shall not see him again.

I understand father has been accepted for the Y. M. C. A. work. I hope he will look me up if he can. I know he will be interested in seeing a flying camp along the front and will find it quite different from anything he ever dreamed of.

Write me soon. I haven't received a letter from you for so long I don't know how it will affect me. Lovingly—Robert.

DRESS TALK

Flaring Tunics and Narrow Skirts Give the Modern Woman an Odd Silhouette, Which She Enhances in Every Possible Way.

There are women today who walk on the street in conservation costumes, looking as though they had on trousers and short overcoats. This effect is gained by the excessive narrowness of the skirt and the tendency of the new tunic to flare at the hem.

It is more pronounced in France than in America, they say, but a few women on Fifth avenue seem to have done their utmost to promote the idea that they are dressed in an astounding fashion.

Skirts Continue to Grow Narrower

There is no reason to believe that this fashion will change. It is probable that the silhouette will become more frequent as the season advances. Women seem to like it.

Again Blue Serge Combined With Black Satin.

From the way the arrow points today it looks as though black satin will continue to be the foundation for any kind of capricious tunic that one wants to put over. Satin is a comfortable companion in any society, and the woman who is shrewd enough to be economical and well dressed at the same time sees in a simple slip of this fabric the foundation for constant change in clever costumery.

First Showing of the New Fall 1918

DRESSES

Special Showing

$18.50

AND

$24.75

This wonderfully and complete line of New Fall Dresses arrived just in time for State Fair, at which time, of course, all Sedaiians want to look t heir best

*At prices quoted, these dresses are, in our opinion, the best bargains we have shown in years. Women who krow the economy of choosing early and exacting a fll season's wear from their dresses should not delay in getting a

Getting a New Fall Dress at This Price Escape Them

The entire range of this season's fabrics represented, such as Georgette, Crepe Meteor, Taffeta and Serge. The new Fall Colos, Navy, Tan, Brown, Plum, Green, Taupe and Black. They show the new loose panel effects now so popular on Fifth Avenue.

See Corner Ohio Street Window

St. Louis Clo. Co.
A. KAHN PRES. S. KAHN SEC. & TREAS.
Outfitters for Men and Women

The Store That Sells Wooltex

LODGE NOTICES.

Masonic Notice.

St. Omer commandery No. 11, Knights Templar, will meet in stated conclave on Tuesday evening, August 6th, at 8 o'clock p. m., and in special conclave Wednesday evening, August 7th, at 7:30 p. m., for work in Red Cross and temple. Refreshments will be served. Visiting Sir Knights cordially welcomed.

JOHN G. LOVE, Commander.
JOEL E. ROARK, Recorder.

Yoemen, Attention!

Davy Homestead 2156 Brotherhood of American Yoemen, meet every Wednesday night on the third floor of the Powell-Crawford building. All members and visiting Yoemen are cordially invited to attend.

W. A. FRASER, Foreman.
MRS. MINNIE I. SNYDER, Cor.

FAMOUS

Our courteous character has made this organization famous. Our expert knowledge of all the details of our profession meets with the approval of every one. Our Reputation for fair dealing is our clients' protection.

McLAUGHLIN BROS UNDERTAKERS 8—PHONES—8

PERSONALS

EVEREADY Batteries at the Metropolitan Garage.

Reverend S. J. Neiberg left Monday afternoon for a visit at points in Ohio.

S. L. Yokeley, of near Houstonia was transacting business here Tuesday.

Mrs. J. E. Love, of Kansas City arrived Monday afternoon to visit relatives and friends.

Mrs. E. E. Rochford left Monday afternoon for Jefferson City to visit Mrs. J. C. Dillard.

John H. Connor and Will Shacklett, of Lamonte, were business visitors in Sedalia Tuesday.

Tot Savage and three children Charles, Dave and Louis, went to Kansas City Monday afternoon.

Miss Lucile Hill will leave next Monday for Harbor Point, Mich., where she will spend the next several weeks.

Mrs. J. W. Paget left Monday for Kansas City, where she was called by the illness of her brother, R. G. Edwards.

Miss Tennie Wilson and Miss Mary Burke, went to California, Mo., Monday afternoon to visit a short time with relatives and

Miss Marjorie Werner returned home Monday afternoon from Kansas City, where she has been visiting her sister, Miss Ethel Werner.

Miss Grace Martin and brother George, of Kansas City, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hayes, returned home Monday afternoon.

J. L. Brooks and Will Jakeman who made a pleasure trip to Kansas City Saturday evening in Mr. Jakeman's car, returned to Sedalia Monday morning.

H. F. Brill and Dr. O. E. Burris, of Lincoln, Mo., and W. W. Wisdom, of Ionia, were visitors in Sedalia Monday evening, making the trip by automobile.

Lon Klink and H. L. Williams returned from Kansas City Monday evening, where they have been visiting for two days. They made the trip in Mr. Williams' car.

Miss Marie Quinn, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary Quinn, of West Fourth street, left Monday afternoon for New York where she will visit friends.

Mrs. Harry Press and daughter Georgia, of Chicago, arrived in Sedalia Monday afternoon to make a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Press, of West Third street.

Mrs. T. B. Edwards of 810 West Sixth street, left Tuesday morning for Denver, Colorado Springs, Pueblo and Manitou, Colo., where she will visit for about a month.

Mrs. A. W. Peterson and daughters, Misses Emma and Olga, left Tuesday morning for St. Paul, Minn., where they will enjoy a visit of a month with relatives and friends.

Costly Telephoning.

From the Chicago News.

There is a certain member of congress who stutters except when he makes a speech or talks over the telephone. Recently he had occasion to call up a friend in Seattle on a matter of personal importance. When the transcontinental connection had been made the man in Seattle shouted through the phone:

"Who is talking?"

"This is Tom Smith," answered the congressman at the capital end of the wire.

"No, it is not Tom Smith," snapped the man in Seattle.

"Yes, it is Tom Smith, I tell you," the congressman fairly bellowed. "Why do you doubt it?"

"Why, Tom stutters."

"You chump, do you think I am going to stutter at a dollar a word?" the congressman retorted, as he banged down the phone in disgust.

Trucks For Hauling
To hire, rent or outings. Bertman's. Phones 92.

For the Woman Who Cares
For the next 30 days take advantage of the discount on all HAIR GOODS at MRS. C. B. TUCKER'S Chiropody and Beauty Parlors, Alamo Bldg., W. Third. Bell 820. Fresh Supply of Marinello Toilet Articles Just In.

Throw it Away

That pride, that foolish idea that glasses make you look old. Have a pair of glasses properly fitted. Remove the cause of those terrible headaches. Remove the cause of those dull watery eyes that look as though you had borrowed them from a dead fish.

Glasses are not a sign of old age. Glasses will straighten out those wrinkles. Glasses properly fitted will make your eyes look bright and sparkling.

We have all the latest designs and styles.

ORMOND & KLUEBER
120 West Third Street.

Red-Hot Weather! Stomach Off?

No Appetite? Mouth Dry? Tongue Stiff and a Fierce Thirst? Here's Relief!!

Hot, heavy foods and iced drinks often play havoc with bad stomachs in hot weather. The weak ones haven't got a chance. A quickly chilled or over-worked stomach is a starter of untold misery for its owner.

When you have that dull, depressed feeling after eating—stomach pains, bowel disorders, heartburn or nausea, belching, food repeating—it is the danger point. You want to look out—and be quick about it in this hot weather.

A way has been discovered to make sick stomachs well and to keep them cool and sweet. It is a commonsense way. No starvation plan of diet is needed. Make this test and see how quickly you get a good appetite in hot weather and enjoy the things you like without misery to follow.

EATONIC Tablets have amazed people everywhere with the marvelous benefits they have produced for thousands of stomach sufferers. Start the test today and let your own stomach tell you the truth.

EATONIC works quick—it absorbs and neutralizes hurtful, poisonous acids, juices and stomach gases caused from undigested foods. Thousands testify that it quickly puts the stomach in a clean, sweet condition—recreates—builds up the lost appetite and makes life worth living for the man who likes good things but who suffers every time he eats them.

EATONIC is absolutely guaranteed to do all this and you are to be the judge. If it doesn't rid you of stomach and bowel miseries most common in hot weather—you get your money back at once right from your own druggist whom you know and can trust. No need of your taking a chance of suffering. Start EATONIC today. You will see.

TRUCKS FOR HIRE
We haul anything. Special hog truck. Phones 2400. Le Grande Garage.

Wall Paper Cleaned Like New.
All work guaranteed. $1.00 per room. L. Cutter. Bell 601, Home 359.

Willard Battery owners, 712 Ohio. Look out whom you trust your Willard with. We have Willard supplies and use them for repairing. What does the other fellow use?

Pleasant for Pa.

From the Boston Transcript.

Father (of Mrs. Newlywed)—What was it your husband wanted to see me about?

Mrs. Newlywed—I think he wanted to borrow a couple of hundred dollars from you. The dear fellow is so anxious to get out of debt.

TRUCKS FOR HIRE
We haul anything. Special wheat truck. Phones 2400. LeGrande Garage.

Trucks For Outings
To hire, haul or rent. Bertman's. Phones 92.

Hooveresque Delicacies.

From the Boston Transcript.

"Neurasthenia," said Mrs. Biggums to her cook, "I think we will have some chicken croquettes today out of that leftover pork and calves' liver."

"Yes'm," said Neurasthenia, called Teeny for short. "An' we got a little bread dressin' what went wid the pork, mum. Shall I make some apple sauce out'n hit, mum?"

ECKMAN'S Calcreos
FOR WEAK LUNGS
or throat troubles that threaten to become chronic, this Calcium compound will be found effective. The handiest form yet devised. Free from harmful or habit forming drugs. Try them today.
50 cents a box, including war tax
For sale by all druggists
Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia

SWIFT & COMPANY U.S.A.

Packers' Profits —Large or Small

Packers' profits look big—
When the Federal Trade Commission reports that four of them earned $140,000,000 during the three war years.

Packers' profits look small—
When it is explained that this profit was earned on total sales of over *four and a half billion dollars*—or only about *three cents* on each dollar of sales.

This is the relation between profits and sales:

Profits — Three cents on each dollar of sales.
Sales

If no packer profits had been earned, you could have bought your meat at only a fraction of a cent per pound cheaper!

Packers' profits on meats and animal products have been limited by the Food Administration since November 1, 1917.

Swift & Company, U. S. A.

You Can Fight For Your Country in the Business Trenches!

Keep business "better than usual."

If you are one of the army fighting back of the trenches—back at home, where the processes of trade and industry must be kept active, in the national interest—make your fight count.

If you are a worker, see to it that you are doing the work for which you are best fitted—for which you will be best paid—thus contributing your full efficiency to the industrial and business task.

If you are in business, see to it that your business shall be active and prosperous. Branch out—seek new trade—enlarge your forces of workers—advertise more than ever before.

If you have real estate to sell, present your offerings so attractively that the aspiration to buy homes may be stimulated in the people—for the war period is to be one of abundant money, and many will be able to satisfy long cherished plans for home owning.

In your task of keeping your corner of the country prosperous you will find, more than ever before, opportunities to utilize classified advertising—to make it count for real service in all of your affairs, big and little.

Place your announcements where they will be seen by the masses—the most people—

Through the Democrat

Miller's Antiseptic Oil, Known as
Snake Oil
Will Positively Relieve Pain in Three Minutes

Try it right now for rheumatism, Neuralgia, Lumbago, sore, stiff and swollen joints, pains in the head, back and limbs, corns, bunions, etc. After one application, pain disappears as if by magic.

A new remedy used internally and externally for Coughs, Colds, Croup, Sore Throat, Diptheria and Tonsilitis.

This oil is conceded to be the most penetrating remedy known. Its prompt and immediate effect in relieving pain, is due to the fact that it penetrates to the effected parts at once. As an illustration, pour ten drops on the thickest piece of sole leather and it will penetrate this substance through and through in three minutes.

Accept no substitute. This great oil is golden red color only. Every bottle guaranteed. 30c, 60c and $1.00 a bottle, or money refunded. On sale at J. H. Mertz Drug Co., 210 Ohio St., Sedalia, Mo.

When a Want Ad is Working for You in the Democrat

There's not apt to be any long delay in securing that new position. For a Want ad—persistently presenting you to employers—will, inevitably, find and interest THE ONE WHO HAS THE RIGHT OPPORTUNITY TO OFFER YOU!

The want ad may have to work one day—or a week—at the task. But it will not fail if it is put in the Democrat.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children
IN USE FOR OVER 30 YEARS
Always bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

TRUCKS FOR HIRE
We haul anything, anywhere, any time. Phones 2400. Le Grande Garage.

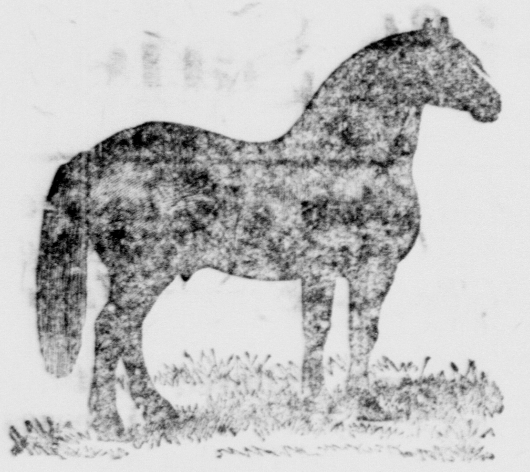
Special For State Fair
I will have a full line of all kinds of Fruits at reasonable prices
Kansas City Produce Co.
509 Ohio St. Bell Phone 160

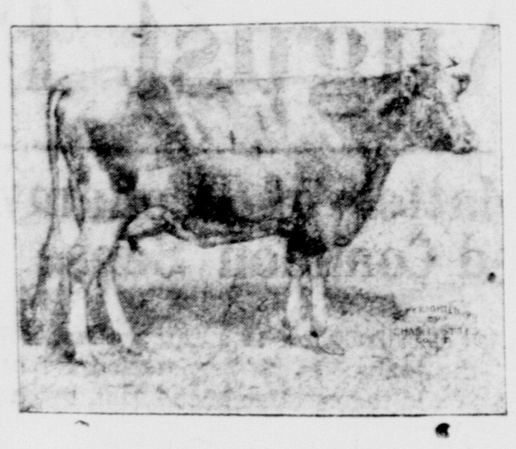
The FLORENCE THOMAS HAIR SHOP
Violet Ray Treatments and Sulphur Shampoo for Dandruff.
315½ Ohio St. Bell 499.

PUBLIC SALE

On account of going to war, I will sell at public auction on the Stevens Cedar Bluff farm, 3 1-2 miles southeast of Sedalia, on New York Avenue road,

THURSDAY, AUGUST 8, 1918





1 grey mare, 9 years old.
1 grey mare, 5 years old.
1 bay mare, 5 years old; all good workers.
3 milk cows, fresh in early fall; strippers.
1 milk cow, fresh in spring.
5 head heifers.
1 brood sow.
8 shoats.
1 farm wagon; nearly new.
1 low wheel wagon with frame.
1 high-wheel wagon with dump bed
1 top buggy.
1 16-inch Emerson sulky plow.
1 16-inch shovel riding cultivator.
1 1-horse corn and bean drill.
1 14-inch walking plow.
1 Giant mower; nearly new.
1 old mower.
1 sulky rake.
1 smoothing harrow.
1 stump harrow.
1 scraper.
1 set work harness with breeching, new.
1 set 1¾-inch work harness; good
1 lot extra collars.
Some baled wheat straw.
Some sheaf oats.
1 cream separator, 500 pounds capacity.
1 cider mill.
Sausage mill and lard press.
1 Winchester pump gun.
1 lot miscellaneous personal belongings.
2 stands bees, extra hives, supers. et0c.
1 extra hay frame.
1 large cutting board.
1 diamond plow.
Smaller implements and tools too numerous to mention.

TERMS, CASH. **Sale Begins at 10 O'clock**

Dinner Served by Ladies of Good Will Chapel

C. J. HIERONYMUS, Auct.
JEWELL MORRIS, Clerk.

M. O. STEVENS.

Notice.

We were the first Battery men in Sedalia.

We set the pace. All others follow us.

We are not learning while you pay.

Get Willard Service at 712 Ohio. Conser's. Phone 992.

Buy a Smileage Book.

Provide some healthy amusement for your soldier relative or friend in the cantonment. Buy a smileage book at the Democrat office and mail it to him.

Dr. Carlisle Taylor
Dentist
Room 331 Ilgenfritz Building.
Bell Phone 282

Cream or Melon, Which?

You may have your choice of iced watermelon or ice cream at the Calvary church lawn social, Wednesday night of this week. The Calvary church ladies will do the serving.

WATER! WATER!! WATER!!!

For water for your cisterns, also wood-sawing, call Bell 1072.

You don't get fooled at Willard Service Station. Look for the sign. Money back guarantee. That is the only guarantee that's good Geo. F. Conser.

Shoes Repaired—Expert workmen at Courtney Shoe Co.

Let E. N. Harrison, transfer, deliver your freight. Both Phones.

Wanted—Sewing machine operators. Lamy Mfg. Co.

Socialist Speaking.

W. L. Garver, state secretary of the Socialist party, will speak on the lawn at 1406 East Fifth street, Tuesday evening, August 6, 8:30 o'clock.

Trucks For Rent

Hauling and picnics. Bertman's. Phones 92.

Cheap Batteries are band investments. Get the Willards. They are 100 per cent good. We have them new. 712 Ohio. Geo. F. Conser.

Wanted—Clean rags. Bring to Democrat office.

Buying For the Home is a Task for "Women Who Know"

In every home the buying is generally done by the housewife, or under her direction. Upon her "preparedness" for this task depends the financial prosperity of that home—in very large measure—as well as the comfort and welfare of every member of the family circle.

For a long time, happily, the housewives of America have been acquiring a growing sense of the economic importance of their task of buying wisely for the home. The old habit of buying without special knowledge of values and without efficient planning of purchases is dying out.

The woman who has, for years, based her buying upon information about commodities and values—who has been a student of advertising, in the realization that through it she has been enabled to keep informed about the commodity markets and buying opportunities—is "prepared" to keep her home finances in as prosperous a condition in war times as in peace times.

For the woman who reads the ads in the Democrat is almost always a woman who PLANS HER BUYING—who decides questions of what to buy and when and where to buy INTELLIGENTLY. She realizes that the store advertisements enable her to know the trend of prices—and thus to buy opportunely.

The advertisements of the merchants are addressed to WOMEN WHO KNOW—to housewives who aim to plan the buying for the home wisely. Such women will not contribute to the economic difficulties of merchants by joining in any false-economy measures. They will continue to buy what is needed, and so manage their household appropriations that they will be amply able to buy all desirable things as well as all necessities.

The woman who has never before devoted much of her time to reading the ads owes it to herself and to those for whom she is the "purchasing agent" to join, at once, that wiser legion of women who solve the buying task SUCCESSFULLY.

Soldier Letters

George Ware Writes.

Writing from "somewhere in France" to his father, Lon V. Ware, George H. Ware, of company H, 354th United States Infantry, American Expeditionary forces, says among other things:

"I am feeling fine and working hard. We are drilling more each day now and it is sure making real men out of us. We are learning rapidly and Captain Reid compliments us every day.

"I am now a rifle grenadier, and like this work fine. I will tell you what it is when I come home.

"If at any time you do not hear from me for two or three months, write to the adjutant general of the army at Washington, D. C. giving my army serial number and he will tell you all about me. My army seal number is 2,845,353.

"Remember me to all my friends and love to all.

"GEORGE."

A Bilious Attack.

When you have a bilious attack your liver fails to perform its functions. You become constipated. The food you eat ferments in your stomach instead of digesting. This inflames the stomach and causes nausea, vomiting and a terrible headache. Take three of Chamberlain's Tablets. They will tone up your liver, clean out your stomach and you will soon be as well as ever. They only cost a quarter.

Money! Money!! Money!!!

If you wish to borrow money on real estate, or if you wish to loan money on real estate, in either case be sure and see me before doing business.—G. M. Riddle, the Real Estate and Loan Man. 310 Ohio street, over Guenther's store, Sedalia, Mo.

Get Ready for the State Fair.

You will probably need cards, furnished room cards, meal tickets, etc. Place your order now. Do not wait until the last minute.

"When Quality and Price Count, Thomas gets the order."

Thomas Printing Co.,
(Everybody's Book Store)
111 East Second Street, Near Ohio.
Telephone 149.

Wanted—Sewing machine operators. Lamy Mfg. Co.

Get Willard Prices

Charging—6. Volt, 75c.
Repairing—6. Volt, $5.85.
Charging—12. Volt, $1.00.
Repairing—12. Volt, $10.85.
Conser's, 712 Ohio Street.

SEED WHEAT

Certified to by County Agent Long as 98½% tested. Fultz variety. Price reasonable. J. Ed. Hall, Lamonte, Mo.

Another new lot Fisk Tires and Tubes just received and on SPECIAL SALE at reduced prices COME while this lot lasts. Overland-Sedalia Co., Sixth and Ohio.

Notice.

Those knowing themselves indebted to me will confer a great favor by calling at my office and settling account.—Dr. Guy Titsworth.

Kodak Film Rolls Developed Free Day and Night Studio. 307 South Ohio street.

Real Estate

Loans on mortgage or collateral Notes bought and sold.
Agent for Aetna Life Insurance Co
120 acres for trade, 14 miles west
15 acres, one mile, first class
FRED A. BENZ.
Over Waldman's. Bell 602. Home 8

Home For Sale—Monthly Payment Plan

Which would you rather have five years from today—a bunch of old rent receipts or a deed to your own home? The one is just about as easy as the other, and you must decide which is the most profitable.

Cultivate the Habit of thrift. Buy a home. Anyway, come in and let us talk about it.

STANLEY & HATTON
Trust Company Building, Fourth and Ohio.
Both Phones 401.

750-Acre farm to exchange for a smaller farm.
400-Acre Arkansas farm to trade for city property and other farms to exchange.
Have a number of cash buyers looking for farms. If you have not listed your farm with either for sale or exchange, do so at once.

The C. C. Wenck Realty & Loan Co
210 South Ohio Street.
Bell Phone 91.

Automobile Pumps Repaired
ILMBERGER, BROS., 315 E. Main

CATTLE AND GRAIN MARKETS

Quotations Furnished by the Associated Press.

Kansas City Live Stock Market.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 24,000; market weak; prime fed steers, $17.50@18.40; dressed beef steers, $13.00@17.25; cows and heifers, $6.00@13.00; stockers and feeders, $7.50@17.00; bulls, $7.00@10.00; calves, $7.50@13.90.

Hogs—Receipts, 10,000; market strong; heavy, $19.35@19.60; packers and butchers, $19.25@19.55; light, $19.00@19.40.

St. Louis Live Stock Market.

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 7,500; market strong; native steers, $11.50@18.25; yearling steers and heifers, $9.50@15.50; calves, $7.75@14.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 9,000; market steady; light, $19.45@19.75; mixed, $19.20@19.70; heavy, $19.50@19.65.

Kansas City Grain Market.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 6.—Wheat—Receipts, 429 cars; market steady; No. 1 hard, $2.18@2.19½; No. 2, $2.15@2.16; No. 1 red, $2.18; No. 2, $2.15.

Corn—No. 2 mixed, $1.70@1.75; No. 3, $167@1.71; No. 2 white, $1.89@1.92; No. 3, nominal.

Oats—No. 2 white, 71c; No. 2 mixed, 67½@68c.

Rye—$1.67@1.68.

Hay—Market 50c@$1.00 higher; choice timothy, $26.50@27.50; choice prairie, $25.50@26.00.

Grain market close:
Corn—Aug., $1.60; Sept., $1.62½.

Kansas City Produce Markets.

Kansas City, Mo., Aug. 6.—Butter—Creamery, 42c; firsts, 40½c; seconds, 39½c; packing, 33c.

Eggs—Firsts, 37c; seconds, 32c.

SEDALIA SERUM CO.

Operated in conjunction with The Sedalia Farmers' Co-Operative Packing Co., by
Dr. Walter Warren,
Dr. Fred C. Cater.
(Deputy State Veterinarian.)
Vaccinate your hogs with good results. Call us if you have immune fat hogs or unvaccinated shoats for sale.
Phones 246.

Used Cars for Sale.

Fisher Auto Sales Company, 211 West Fourth. Phones 236.

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

MISSOURI PACIFIC

Corrected to June 30, 1918.

Eastbound.

Arrive.	No. and Title.	Depart
1:58 am	14 K. C. St-L Ex	2:08 am
11:05 am	38 K.C.-StL. LM	11:15 am
12:05 pm	16 K.C.-StL. LP	12:10 pm
1:55 pm	12 Cal-St.L. Ex.	2:00 pm
8:40 pm	48, K. C. L. P.	
	94 Local Freight from depot, daily except Sundays	6:10 am
3:45 pm	96 Local Freight (daily except Sunday).	

Westbound.

Arrive.	No. and Title.	Depart
3:43 am	13 St. L-Col. Ex.	3:50 am
6:47 am	9 Fast Mail (sleeper only)..	6:52 am
	47 Sed.-K.C. L. P	7:35 am
2:30 pm	11 St. L.-Cal. Ex.	2:40 pm
5:00 pm	37 St. L-K.C. L P	5:05 pm
4:15 pm	95 Local Freight (daily ex. Sun).	
	97 Local Freight (daily ex. Sun.) (from depot)	7:05 am

LEXINGTON BRANCH.

Arrive.	No. and Title.	Depart
	647 Myrick K C P	6:50 am
8:45 pm	648, Myrick-K.C. L.	
	659, Mixed train (daily except Sunday)........	6:00 am
1:00 pm	658, Mixed train, (Daily except Sunday).	

WARSAW BRANCH.

Arrive.	No. and Title.	Depart
	657 Warsaw mixed train	7:00 am
3:15 pm	656 Warsaw mixed train.	

MISSOURI, KANSAS & TEXAS

(Corrected to Nov. 25, 1917).

Going South

Arrive.	No. and Title.	Depart
3:15 a. m.	Katy Flyer	3:20 a m
8:40 a. m.	3 St L.-Sed.	8:50 a m
3:05 p. m.	9 Katy Lim.	3:10 p m
6:10 p. m.	7 Columbia-Sedalia local pass., daily except Sunday.	
	91 Way f'ght	7:00 a m

Going North.

Arrive.	No. and Title.	Depart.
12:25 a m	6 Katy Flyer	12:30 a m
	4 Hannibal-St. Louis local pas.......	6:10 a m
1:25 pm	10 Katy Limtd..	1:30 pm
6:00 pm	4, Lo. Pass. Daily.	
	8, L. P. Daily cept Sunday..	6:30 p m

Holden Division.

Arrive.	No. and Title.	Depart
	87 Lo. Pas. Daily except Sunday	6:00 am
6:12 pm	88 Local Pass Daily except Sun.	
5:10 pm	96, Mixed, Daily except Sunday.	
	95, Mixed Daily except Sunday	7:45 am

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

WANTED.

Wanted—Car for livery service fair week. Bell 850.

Wanted—Old bicycle frames and parts. Ilmberger Bros., 315 East Main.

Wanted—Cows and heifers, also veal calves. Call Bell phone 1175F5.

Wanted—Three or four cords of good split wood. Call Bell 520 or Home 232-Y.

Wanted—To purchase safe suitable for small office. Call at Economy heating Co.

Want to Buy From Owner—5 or 6 room house with 3 or 4 lots. Call Home 1143.

We Want to Buy your household goods. Moore Furniture Co., 304 West Main. Phones 809.

Wanted to Buy—Second hand furniture and stoves. People's Furniture Store 113 West Main.

Wanted—Medium sized refrigerator. State price and condition, Address "Freeze," care Democrat.

Wanted—Good horse to drive about thirty miles a week, for board. Address F. B. care Democrat.

We pay the highest prices for all kinds of household goods. Give us a trial. E. T. Moore, 209 West Main. Bell 14.

Keever, the Second Hand Man, 303 West Main, buys and sell furniture and all other goods. Both Phones.

Wanted—Two unfurnished or partly furnished rooms in modern home. East of Ohio, between Fifth and Broadway. Two business men. Address "T-24" care the Democrat.

Help Wanted—Male

Painters Wanted—Apply Kelk's Carriage Works.

Wanted—Men and teams. T. H. Johnson. Over Citizens' National bank.

Wanted at Once—100 laborers T. H. Johnson, over Citizens' National bank.

Wanted—Boy for soda fountain. Good wages for the right one. Apply New York Candy Kitchen.

Wanted—Three men to work in bakery. Apply at once to Nafziger Baking company, 702-704 S. Ohio.

Wanted—Ten bright young men for several weeks, good pay. Apply state fair ground. Ask for Mr Gordon, in field in front of grand stand.

Wanted—150 men, 50 boys about 18 years old, 25 young ladies, to take part in Gordon's "World at War." Apply at grandstand, state fair grounds, Wednesday night, August 7, at 7:30 p. m. Good pay Night work only.

HELP WANTED—Female

Wanted—Sewing machine operators. Lamy Mfg. Co.

Wanted—Colored woman to wash and iron. Apply 521 S. Ohio.

Wanted—Experienced colored cook. $5.00 per week. Home 628.

Wanted—Experienced dining room help. Best of wages. Apply Terry hotel.

Wanted—Colored girl for general housework. Mrs. C. Rosenthal. Bell Phone 2057.

Wanted—14 or 15 year old white girl to assist with housework. Apply 310 E. 7th. Bell 2065.

Wanted—Girl for general housework, no washing. Apply in person. 922 West Third street.

Wanted—Apprentice girls and salesladies. New York Ladies' Sample Hat Store, 314 Ohio St.

100 girls and women wanted to pick chickens. Steady work Good pay. Mo. Egg & Poultry Co.

Wanted—Three lady agents and two men. Great opportunity for right parties. Easy to make $300 a month. Call for Mr. Hoffman at 205 S. Massachusetts, room 6.

Wanted—125 young ladies to take part in World at War. Apply Wednesday night at 7:30 at state fair grounds, in front of grandstand. Good pay. Night work only.

LOST

Lost—Ladies' new hat, on South Kentucky road. Return to Democrat.

Lost—Black jersey swimming suit, near 120 East Broadway. Reward.

Lost—Tire pump and irons on Smithton road, near brick cshoolhouse. C. W. Norton. Bell 1169F2. Reward.

Lost—Blue serge coat on Smithton road Friday night. Contained keys, fountain pen and letters addressed to Irwin Raut, East St. Louis. Return to the Democrat. Reward.

Lost—Between Mo. Pac. depot and Third, or on East Sixth street car, a silver bracelet, engraved "May." Return to Mrs. Robert Gholson, 907 East Third, and get a liberal reward.

I LEND MONEY

$50,000.00 PRIVATE MONEY TO LEND

J. D. Donnohue
Bell 6, Home 6 309 Ohio Street.

FOR RENT.

For Rent—Sleeping rooms. 507 W. 7th St. Bell 2711.

Three unfurnished rooms on first floor. 400 East Second.

To Rent—Furnished bedroom. References. Bell 1124.

For Rent—Modern furnished room. 411½ East Fifth.

For Rent—Upper flat with bath. 1321 South Osage. Bell 652.

For Rent—Strictly modern seven room house. 521 West Fifth.

For Rent—Modern sleeping room $2.00 per week. Bell 3127.

Strictly modern six room apartment. 216 East Sixth. Bell 1739.

For Rent—Furnished housekeeping rooms. 903 East 5th Bell 1091.

For Rent—Three modern light housekeping rooms. 320 W. 4th.

For Rent—Five room modern apartment. Call today. Home 803.

For Rent—Modern light housekeeping rooms, first floor. Bell 670.

For Rent—Modern light housekeeping rooms. 902 South Massachusetts. Bell 2433.

For Rent—Housekeeping rooms in suites—two, four or six. Modern, fine location. Bell 475.

For Rent—Four room cottage, 1211 East Fourth street, modern except heat. Bell 2523.

For Rent—Eight room house, gas stove and electric lights. Mrs. E. B. Lyon. 1510 S. Osage.

For Rent—Two nicely furnished housekeeping rooms, $15.00 a month. 216 South Prospect.

For Rent—Three room apartment, modern, 7th and Ohio, upstairs. See H. H. Kroencke, 210-212 W. Second. Bell 413.

For Rent—Large front room with board to desirable parties. Everything modern. Mrs. Hartshorn. 219 W. 7h.

For Rent—Four living rooms and store room connected, formerly Mrs. Hugleman's cleaning establishment. Bell 860.

For Rent—Five room house, modern except heat. 909 W Fifth, $15 per month. Possession now. Both Phones 171. Call during business hours.

For Rent—$8 for one furnished room with alcove, lights and bath. $13 for 5 room cottage with barn, lights and water. $6 for one furnished room. Bell 2511.

FOUND.

Taken Up—About two year old bay mule. Call at the Page and Ruckle. 214 S. Ky. Bell 283.

Taken Up—Yearling white and brindle steer, weighs about 150 lbs. Call C.R. Harrison, route 6, Sedalia, Bell 1098F11.

TRUCKS FOR HIRE

We haul anything. Special wheat truck. Phones 2400, Le-Grande Garage.

Shoes Repaired—Best work and materials at Courtney Shoe Co.

Farm for Sale.

137 acres, fair improvements, on rock road, 100 acres in bottom. One of the best producing farms in Pettis county. Will make good corn whether it rains or not.

Geo. A. Melton & Son,
Over Smokehouse. Bell 47.

FOR SALE.

8 room modern residence on West Fourth street, $4,000. Will take a payment of $500 and carry balance with $25 monthly payments.

If you want to borrow money on farms or city property, get my rate before closing your deal.

Ire E. Melton,
The Real Estate Man.
321 South Ohio. Phones 357

FARM AND CITY LOANS.

I have plenty money for both—Get the terms and price of all others, then come see me to save money.

LAND BUYERS.

I have a buyer for one-half to a section of good land near Sedalia, moderate improvements. Come tell me what you have to sell.

W. W. HEROLD
111 West Fourth St.

FOR SALE.

For Sale—Sheaf oats. Call Bell 1005F4.

For Sale—Large ice box, 225 S. Missouri.

For Sale—Five-passenger Buick. Home Phone 411.

House and 2 lots; also 2 year filley. Bell 2663.

For Sale—My Dodge roadster. Dr. Frank Morley.

For Sale—Three sows and five shoats. Call Bell 1994.

For Sale—Baby buggy. Good condition. 416 East Second.

For Sale—Power hay press used one season. Bell 2427.

For Sale—Small two-passenger car. Apply 1610 East Fourth.

For Sale—Horse, single delivery wagon and harness. Bell 860.

For Sale—Davenport, base burner and hard coal. Bell 1982.

For Sale—One big black work horse. Apply 601 West 16th St.

For Sale—Good surrey and spring wagon. 1008 East Tenth.

For Sale—Good work horse, weight 1200. 501 N. Park. Bell 3077.

For Sale—Modern eight room house. 601 West Seventh. Bell 230.

For Sale—2-horse wagon, buggy and harness. 1005 E. 3rd. Bell 2339.

For Sale.—Davenport; good as new; reasonable; inquire 908 S. Osage.

For Sale—Silo 12x32. Phone 1310F1-5, Route 2. Henry Brunchorst.

For Sale—Young fresh Holstein cow. Also two heifer calves. Bell 786. Mrs. Montgomery.

For Sale—One electric light plant. Rumsey make. John Griessen, Route 1. Bell 1420.

For Sale—Kitchen cabinet, bookcase, desk and lawn mower. 724 West Fourth. Phone 3235.

For Sale or Trade—Maxwell 1916 touring car, run 3,000 miles. What have you? Bell 1025F3.

3 room house west side, paved street, good foundation, easily remodeled. Price $1100. Bell 1213.

For Sale—One Overland automobile, first class condition. Late model. B. J. Holt, 312 N. Grand.

For Sale—Ten hole disc drill with seeder attachment. Good condition. W. M. Elliott. Bell 1090F3.

For Sale—One yearling Poland China sow; vaccinated; will farrow September 1st. Walter Morey. Bell 438F3.

For Sale—Shetland pony and outfit complete—buggy, saddle harness, etc. J. A. Capen, 209 West Broadway. Bell 288.

For Sale—Household furniture, stov, cot, folding bed, lounge, fruit jars, lamp, wash stand, bowls and pitchers. 1510 South Osage.

For Sale—Good five room house, four lots, plenty of fine living water, young cherry trees in bearing. A bargain. Address "Sale" care Democrat.

For Sale—120 acre farm near Fulton, Mo. Well improved; also 106 acres timber land. Can line off timber until land is opened up Trade with owner and save commission. Terms. Room 38. Hotel Sidney, Gary, Indiana.

For Sale—I am going to move to 1207 South Ingram; therefore, I will sell 1 large ice box, 2 computing scales, 4 show cases, 1 meat block, 2 60 gallon oil tanks, 1 30-gallon cylinder oil tank and other grocery store fixtures. S. Mindell, 601 W. 16th. Bell 715, Home 826.

For Sale—325 acre farm, 175 in cultivation, all fenced; house with eight rooms and fine basement; two barns each 38 by 60 feet, and other buildings. Apple and peach orchards. Good timber on land not in cultivation. Three wells, one spring and three ponds. Good roads and neighborhood. Price $32 per acre. Address W. M. Gott, Ulman, Mo.

Let E. N. Harrison do your transfer work. Both Phones.

Trucks For Hauling

To hire, rent or outings. Bertman's. Phones 92.

SALES FOR MEN

25% OFF

Palm Beach Cool Cloth

Suit Sale!

$10.00 Suits . . . $ 7.50
$12.50 Suits . . . $ 9.35
$13.50 Suits . . . $10.10
$14.50 Suits . . . $10.90

½ Price

STRAW HAT SALE

$2.00 Hats $1.00
$3.00 Hats $1.50
$5.00 Hats $2.50
$6.00 Hats $3.00

PANAMAS ⅓ OFF
BANGKOKS ⅓ OFF

Waldman's
CLOTHES FOR MEN & WOMEN

ARRANGE FOR EXEMPTIONS

Change Made in Wording of the Man Power Bill.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Further provisions for exemptions has been written in the new man power bill now before congress, so that the nation's war industry fabric may not be upset by unduly large withdrawals of men over 32 years of age for military service.

Provost Marshal General Crowder, appearing today before the senate military committee, explained he had deemed it advisable to substitute the words, "occupants and employment" for the word "industries" used in the existing law in the section affecting industrial extension. This would make possible a more liberal interpretation of the law and prevent induction into the army men performing essential work at home and yet not actually in industrial occupation.

CONSIDER WAR ON JAPAN

Bolsheviki Reported to Be Deliberating On Such Action.

London, Aug. 6.—It is reported from Moscow by the way of Berlin, the Bolsheviki is considering a declaration of war against Japan says an exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen.

TOO WEAK TO FIGHT

The "Come-back" man was really never down-and-out. His weakened condition because of overwork, lack of exercise, improper eating and living demands stimulation to satisfy the cry to a health-giving appetite and the refreshing sleep essential to strength. GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules, the National Remedy of Holland, will do the work. They are wonderful! Three of these capsules each day will put a man on his feet before he knows it; whether his trouble comes from uric acid poisoning, the kidneys, gravel or stone in the bladder, stomach derangement or other ailments that befall the over zealous American. Don't wait until you are entirely down-and-out, but take them today. Your druggist will gladly refund your money if they do not help you. Accept no substitutes. Look for the name GOLD MEDAL on every box, three sizes. They are the pure, original, imported Haarlem Oil Capsules.

LONA THEATRE

Afternoon and Night 7:15 P. M. Tonight Adults 10c Children 5c 1 Penny Tax

THE ADORABLE VIOLA DANA

IN

"The Only Road"

A reel romance of the Southwest. This is another of Miss Dana's most successful plays—with her are a group of winsome players. A picture that grips and makes you forget the warmth

Wednesday Afternoon and Night

THE POPULAR SCREEN STAR

Harold Lockwood

The five act rapid fire farce comedy

"Lend Me Your Name"

A picture that is replete with perplexing complications. Mr Lockwood plays a double role in this picture.

PATHE NEWS and "THE SPOILED GIRL."

NEWS OF THE RAIL

Matters of Interest Picked Up From Various Sources of the Benefit of the Sedalia Democrat Readers.

Automatic Couplers

T. H. Jackson and Ira Gorrell, Katy brakemen, are laying off.

Vic Kinsey and Vic McFadden, Katy conductors, are laying off duty for a few days.

Miss Jennet Skinner, stenographer at the Katy superintendent's office, is laying off on her vacation. Her place is being filled by C. J. Hammonds.

S. B. Moore, Katy superintendent, and C. B. Boyd, Katy general agent, of Parsons, Kas., are in Sedalia to inspect the Sedalia and High line divisions.

W. W. Zahrndt, Katy paymaster, is in Sedalia paying up all back pay for the month of March. The back pay for the month of April will be paid the next pay day.

N. C. Griffith, first trick dispatcher for the Katy, is laying off on his vacation. Mr. Griffith's place is being taken by T. H. Fry, third trick dispatcher.

The Katy wrecker was called to Mokane Monday afternoon, where a yard engine had run into a couple of freight cars, knocking them off the track. There was no one injured.

The Katy section hands who quit work Monday morning until their wage scale should be made the same as that of the section men south of Sedalia, returned to work Monday noon with the increase granted.

Henry Benton, Katy brakeman, left Tuesday morning for his home in Pleasanton, Kas., where he has been called by a telegram telling him to come home at once. Mr. Benton does not know the reason why such a telegram should be sent.

DIED.

Funeral of Mrs. Graham.

Mrs. Anna Fowler Graham, a former resident of Sedalia, died in Spokane, Wash., July 26, 1918, and a Spokane paper in an account of the funeral, says:

Funeral services for Mrs. Anna Fowler Graham were held in the Schooley chapel yesterday afternoon, the Rev. J. E. Smith, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiating. Many friends attended. Among those in attendance were Mrs. Graham's aged parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Fowler, of Rufus, Ore. Mr. Fowler experienced no hardship in the journey despite his 82 years. Further services will be held on the arrival of the body in Oregon, where it will be interred.

Mrs. Graham was born in Sedalia, Mo., thirty years ago. She is survived by a son, aged twenty months, and a husband, James Graham, who conducts the Wigwam apartments, Fourth avenue and Monroe street.

Mrs. Graham's father, Thomas A Fowler, was circuit clerk of Pettis county a number of years ago, and during his residence here two of his children died, Mrs. Graham being the only other child in the family.

William R. Lewis.

William Randolph Lewis, aged 75 years, died at his home near Hughesville Tuesday morning about 3 o'clock. Death was due to general debility.

Mr. Lewis is survived by his widow and two daughters.

The funeral service will be at 9:30 o'clock Wednesday morning at the home. Interment will be in the Longwood cemetery.

George Edward Hancock.

George Edward Hancock, thirteen months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Nephi Hancock, of 1100 East Nineteenth street, died Monday night at the home of his parents Death was due to bronchial tuberculosis.

The funeral was held at 3:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the Latter Day Saints' church. Interment was made in Crown Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Mary E. Perry.

Mrs. Mary E. Perry, aged 84 years, died Tuesday morning at the general hospital, death following a long illness. The funeral will be held at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Staley funeral home, the Rev. W. O Thompson, pastor of the Epworth Methodist Episcopal church, of which she was a member, to officiate.

Notice to the Public

From June 16th to August 31st inclusive, our office will be closed from 12 to 2 each day, for the benefit of our employees.

Porter RealEstate CO.
D. L. Porter, Vice-Pres.

This Office Gives You the Best There Is In Insurance Service.
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Ed. J. Evans FIRE INSURANCE AGENCY
Sedalia, Mo.
111 West Fourth Street. Bell 935

GET WORK OR FIGHT!

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into effect and providing penalty for not complying therewith.

Be It Ordained, by the council of the city of Sedalia, Missouri, as follows:

That whereas the necessities of war require the active operation of all physical and capable men in essential occupations.

Section 1. It is therefore ordained and declared to be the duty of every able-bodied male resident of this city, between the ages of eighteen and fifty years inclusive, to be habitually and regularly engaged in some lawful, useful and recognized business, profession, occupation, trade or employment.

Any able-bodied male resident of this city, between the ages aforesaid, who shall fail or refuse to be employed for at least thirty-six hours per week, shall be guilty of misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall pay a fine of not more than one hundred dollars, or be imprisoned for a term not to exceed three months, or both.

Section 2. In no case shall the possession by the accused of money, property or income sufficient to support himself and those regularly dependent upon him be a defense to any prosecution under this act.

Section 3.—There is hereby created a board to be known as the Municipal War Labor Board whose duty it shall be to issue such rules and regulations governing the assignment of persons to work under this ordinance as well assure that all persons similarly circumstanced shall so far as possible be treated alike. In assigning anyone to work, the Municipal War Labor Board shall take into consideration the age, physical condition, and any other appropriate circumstance of the person so assigned, and the rules and regulations to be promulgated by the Municipal War Labor Board, under the provisions of the ordinance shall make allowance for such facts and circumstances.

To provide for the assignment of such persons to work, it shall further be the duty of this board to make arrangements with the United States Employment Bureau, in Sedalia, or other employment bureaus, to furnish free of charge employment to any applicant where possible to do so.

This board shall be appointed by the mayor. It shall consist of five members, one of whom shall be nominated by the Labor Council one by the Chamber of Commerce and three to be appointed at large. The members of the board shall serve without pay, except for the actual and necessary expenses incurred in performance of their duties as specified in the ordinance.

Section 4. In no case shall the claim by the accused of his inability to obtain work or employment be a defense to a prosecution hereunder, unless it shall be proved that the accused applied to the employment bureau designed by the Municipal War Labor Board and requested that work or employment be found for him, and that such employment was not furnished him, and shall hold a certificate from such employment bureau that such application has been made.

Section 5. It shall be the duty of the Municipal War Labor Board whenever any person shall inform it of his inability to obtain employment as aforesaid to register forth with the name of such person, together with his address, age and any other information which it may deem necessary. The Municipal War Labor Board shall thereupon assign, or cause to be assigned, and if necessary, reassign or cause to be reassigned, such persons to occupations as aforesaid, carried on by the city, or private employers, engaged in agricultural, industrial or other occupations of the character above mentioned and who accept the services of such persons; provided, however, that no person shall be required to work under this act any greater number of hours per day than lawfully constitutes a day's work in the occupation in which such persons is required to engage. In the event of the Municipal War Labor Board being unable to procure employment for such persons applying as aforesaid, it shall then be the duty of said Municipal War Labor Board to so certify to such person in writing.

Section 6. All persons required to work under this act shall receive compensation of not less than the wage or salary paid to others engaged in the same nature of work to which each such person is assigned. If any such person is assigned to work for the city or for any private employer, then the compensation of such person shall be paid to him by the city or by the private employer, accepting his services.

Section 7. Any person failing or refusing to do, or to continue to do, the work assigned to him, or who, in the meanwhile has not become regularly or continuously employed in some lawful, useful and recognized business, occupation, trade, profession or employment as aforesaid, shall be guilty of misdemeanor, and upon conviction thereof shall pay a fine of ont more than one hundred dollars or imprisonment for a term not exceeding three months, or both.

Section 8. After the passage and approval of this ordinance, it shall be the duty of the police department of Sedalia to seek and continue to seek diligently the names and places of residence of able-bodied male persons within the city between the ages aforesaid not regularly or continuously employed as aforesaid.

Section 9. The provision of this act shall not apply to persons temporarily unemployed by reason of differences with their employers nor to bona fide students during the school term, nor to persons fitting themselves to engage in trade or industrial pursuits.

Section 10 For the purpose of this ordinance any male person as aforesaid found in this city shall be (prima facie) deemed a resident, and burden of proof shall be upon him to prove the contrary in any prosecution hereunder proof that the accused habitually loiters in places of ill fame, houses of prostitution or other places, shall be prima facie evidence of the failure or refusal of such persons to comply with the provisions of this act.

Section 11. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval and shall continue in force for the duration of the war.

Passed by the Council of the City of Sedalia, Missouri, this 5th day of August, 1918.

A. BAUMGARTNER,
President of the Council

Approved by the mayor of said city this 6th day of August, 1918.

A. BAUMGARTNER.

Attest with the seal of said city

N. L. NELSON,
City Clerk.

Ordinance No. 1954.

An ordinance making it unlawful for any person to speak or talk the German language on any of the public streets or highways of the city of Sedalia, Missouri, or publicly in any business house in said city in such a way or manner that same is liable to create a disturbance of the peace or riots, and fixing the punishment for the violation of this ordinance.

Be it ordained by the Council of the City of Sedalia, Missouri, as follows:

Section 1. That hereafter it shall be unlawful for any person to speak or talk the German language on any of the public streets or highways within the corporate limits of the City of Sedalia, Missouri, or within any public business house in said city under such circumstances as are liable to create a disturbance of the peace or riots.

Section 2. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than $1.00 nor more than $100.

Section 3. This ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval

Passed by the Council of the City of Sedalia, Missouri, this 5th day of August, 1918.

A. BAUMGARTNER.
President of the Council.

Approved by the mayor of said city this 6th day of August, 1918

A. BAUMGARTNER.
Mayor.

Attest with the Seal of said City

N. L NELSON,
City Clerk.

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Tuesday, Aug. 6

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TRIBUTE TO DR. MORLEY

School Board Adopts Resolution On His Entering Army

Resolutions by the Sedalia board of education on the commissioning and entry into military service of F. R. Morley have been adopted as follows:

Whereas, In answer to the call of his country and at the dictates of a patriotic American conscience, Dr. F. R. Morley, an honored member of this board, has thought his duty and privilege to enlist in the Medical Corps of the United States Army.

And Whereas, Dr. Morley's services have been accepted with the rank of Captain, and he will leave for the active duties of camp life August the 9th, 1918.

Therefore be it resolved, that the board, while regretting this separation for a time only, it trusts, congratulates and commends its fellow-member on the opportunity that has come to him to render this great and signal service to this country and to his fellow-countrymen.

Resolved further, that the good wishes and desires of the board shall follow Dr. Morley for his safety, health and early return to his family, friends and home.

Resolved further, that copy of these resolutions be sent to Dr Morley and also that a copy be placed in the minutes of the board

Done by order of board, this 5th day of August, 1918.

W. H. Van Wagner, Pres.
W. H. Cloney, Vice-Pres.
E. J. Evans, Secretary.
C. H. Weaver, Treasurer.
Davd Roberts.
John P. Gass, Supt.

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A Matter of Economy and Common Sense

The August Thrift Event is a thing alive to the spirit of the times. In its preparation we have not only upheld the prestige of the past, but have been sharply alert to the new currents of merchandising.

WE HAVE REALIZED THAT—Thrift is no longer an individual practice, but a collective duty. Economy is not a question of "how much," but "how good." Women of all means are united in a creditable war-time opposition to extravagance Catering to these new impulses against odds of high prices and scarcity, this August Thrift Sale is an achievement of which we are justly proud. The fabrics are consistently fine, the trimmings are used sparingly, but well, the prices, although in some instances higher than a year ago, are substantially less in many cases than those to which you have now become accustomed. And at least 25 per cent less than you will be compelled to pay later on the season.

ALL MERCHANDISE OFFERED THROUGH OUT AUGUST TESTIFIES TO OUR WAR TIME EFFORT TO MAKE THIS AUGUST THRIFT SALE A SUPREME ECONOMY SERVICE.

Initial Displays May be Seen of Advance Autumn Showing of Millinery—Second Floor

Women's Tailored Suits, Street and Afternoon Dresses Plush and Cloth Coats

In the Ready-to-Wear Section on the Main Floor. The models faithfully present the styles which will prevail during the ensuing season. The prices will be found very moderate.

After-Inventory Clearance of Women's and Misses' Summer Millinery—Second Floor

Summer Apparel

On the Main Floor will feature COATS, SUITS DRESSES FOR ALL OCCASIONS. Blouses, Smocks, Middies, Washable and Silk Sport Skirts. At great price reductions, to effect immediate disposal.

BEDDING

Hand Torn Sheets.
81x90 size $1.50
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81x90 Hemstitched $2.50

Pillow Cases.
42x36 inches 25c
42x36 inches 35c
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Good weight Hemmed Bedspreads, regular size, for $2.00.

LINENS

58 inch mercerized Damask 55c
72 inch, 65c, 79c, $1.25
72-inch All Linen Table Damask $1.50
17x26 Huck towels 10c
Huck or Turkish Towels 18c
23x40 Turkish Towels 35c
19x35 Huck towels 22c

PLAYS A DOUBLE ROLE

Harold Lockwood In "Lend Me Your Name" Tomorrow, Wednesday, at the Lona.

Harold Lockwood will be seen in a double role in "Lend Me Your Name," the Metro All-Star picture which will be featured on the program of the Lona theater tomorrow, Thursday.

"Lend Me Your Name" is a farce comedy and the story begins when the Earl of Gilleigh is advised of the coming from Europe of his domineering wife, Sophronia, and to escape her he arranges to trade identities with his double, Warren Ellis, a second story man.

The complications start with the arrival of Sophronia and are further developed when the Earl and his double meet the same girl Rosalind, who is played by the star's leading lady, Pauline Curley. As the Earl is married and Ellis is single, the manner of each towards the girl is widely contrasted and general confusion results.

On the same program will be a new Pathe News—one week old and a new portrayal of "Girls You Know," known as "The Spoiled Girl."

WATCH A WIRELESS PLANT

Activities of Germans Acrss Mexican Border Investigated.

Washington, Aug. 6.—Activities of Germans or German-Americans across the Lower California border, where a wireless plant is located, are under investigation by government agents. Reports reaching here indicate that for months groups of Americans had discovered Germans in Mexicalia, a torrid little place just across the border from Calexico, Cal.

The Germans, who were never known to visit the town before the war now congregate at a store established recently by a German known to have been active in propaganda work in the United States before the war and had used the wireless station, which is capable of communicating with Mexico City.

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TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.

A homeless woman or girl can find a pleasant home at A. Bowman's, 14th and Warren. Come soon

Lost In Sedalia Saturday, Aug. 3

Crochet hand bag with child's ring on chain bracelet, check book on Third National bank, 2 handkerchiefs. Return to the Democrat. Reward.

Pianos Tuned and Repaired. Carson Meredith. Bell 1878.

Cream or Melon, Which?

You may have your choice of iced watermelon or ice cream at the Calvary church lawn social, Wednesday night of this week. The Calvary church ladies will do the serving.

To Improve Your Digestion.

"For years my digestion was so poor that I could only eat the lightest foods. I tried everything that I heard of to get relief, but not until about a year ago when I saw Chamberlain's Tablets advertised and got a bottle of them did I find the right treatment. Since taking them by digestion is fine."—Mrs. Blanche Bowers, Indiana, Pa.

Clean Rags Wanted.

Large and medium size pieces, preferably white rags. 5c per pound. Bring to the Democrat office.

Shoe Repairing at Quinn Bros.

Best of material used in all work. Expert workmen. Phone us and we will call for and deliver all repairs. Both phones 432.

Fresh Peach Ice Cream

All this week at the New York Candy Kitchen.

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Out-of-town newspaper daily and Sunday, better order from newsdealer now.

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From the Sydney Bulletin.

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"Cert! Why, when we went over the top I always carried a scythe stone to touch up my bayonet when it got blunt!"

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A hundred years ago, the magic, dazzling whiteness it gives to the coarsest as well as most delicate fabrics would have caused its user to be hailed as a witch. To-day she is the envy of her neighbors, at much less labor to herself. Makes clothes beautiful.

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